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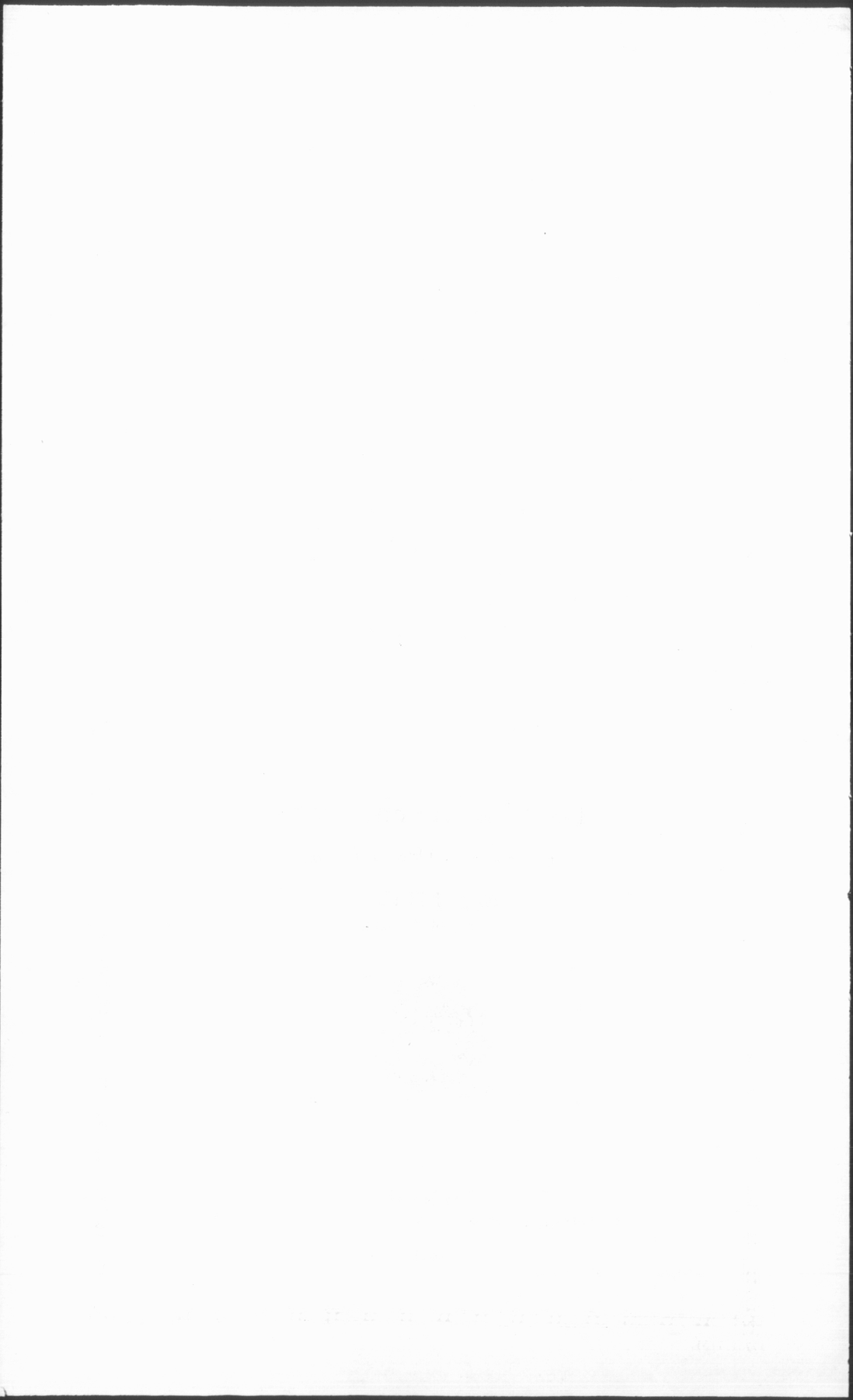
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STATISTICS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Area of State—975,920 square miles.

Metropolitan Area—192 square miles.

I.—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

No. 1.—Population of Western Australia (exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals†) from 1946.

(For mean population of fiscal years, see Table No. 7.)

Period.	Estimated Population at end of Period. (a)			Increase during Period.	Masculinity. (b)	Mean Population. (a)	Estimated Population of Metropolitan Area at end of Period.
	Males.	Females.	Total.				
1946	255,310	241,663	496,973	6,885	105.65	492,771	(c)
1947	261,689	247,192	508,881	11,908	105.86	502,978	276,000
1948	268,384	253,946	522,330	13,449	105.68	514,843	282,000
1949	280,457	264,358	544,815	22,485	106.09	533,083	294,000
1950	295,102	278,569	573,671	28,856	105.93	558,710	309,000
1951— March Quarter	296,534	280,307	576,841	3,170	105.76	575,256	(c)

† Estimated Full-blood Aboriginal Population in the State on 30th June, 1950—16,000.

(a) Estimates prior to the 1947 Census include all surviving members of the defence services who enlisted in Western Australia. From 1st July, 1947, estimates include all service personnel located in Western Australia.

(b) Number of Males to each 100 Females. (c) Not available.

No. 2.—Migration.

Arrivals and Departures since 30th June 1947 Census.

Period.	Arrivals.			Departures.			Excess of Arrivals over Departures. (a).		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total
INTERSTATE.									
1947 (July-December)	14,065	10,280	24,345	15,363	11,128	26,491	—1,298	—848	—2,146
1948	29,268	22,910	52,178	30,323	23,502	53,825	—1,055	—592	—1,647
1949	29,357	23,539	52,896	29,701	23,433	53,134	—344	106	—238
1950	31,164	25,066	56,230	33,175	24,895	58,070	—2,011	171	—1,840
1951— March Quarter	9,924	7,734	17,658	11,038	8,008	19,046	—1,114	—274	—1,388
OVERSEAS.									
1947 (July-December)	4,043	2,487	6,530	784	848	1,632	3,259	1,639	4,898
1948	6,162	4,843	11,005	279	1,876	4,155	3,883	2,967	6,850
1949	11,022	8,209	19,231	2,538	2,691	5,229	8,484	5,518	14,002
1950	14,890	12,152	27,042	2,505	3,011	5,516	12,385	9,141	21,526
1951— March Quarter	1,809	1,372	3,181	557	610	1,167	1,252	762	2,014
TOTAL.									
1947 (July-December)	18,108	12,767	30,875	16,147	11,976	28,123	1,961	791	2,752
1948	35,430	27,753	63,183	32,602	25,378	57,980	2,828	2,375	5,203
1949	40,379	31,748	72,127	32,239	26,124	58,363	8,140	5,624	13,764
1950	46,054	37,218	83,272	35,680	27,906	63,586	10,374	9,312	19,686
1951— March Quarter	11,733	9,106	20,839	11,595	8,618	20,213	138	488	626

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes excess of Departures over Arrivals.

No. 3.—Marriages, Births, and Deaths in Western Australia from 1946.

Period.	Marriages.	Births.			Deaths. (Civilians only to 30-6-47).			Excess of Births over Deaths.	Annual Birth, Death, and Marriage Rate per 1,000 of Mean Population.			Infant Mortality Rate per 1,000 Live Births.
		M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.		Birth Rate.	Death Rate.	Marriage Rate.	
1946	5,171	6,285	5,820	12,105	2,791	1,962	4,753	7,352	24.57	9.65	10.49	31.06
1947	5,282	6,580	6,294	12,874	2,778	1,945	4,723	8,151	25.60	9.39	10.50	30.92
1948	5,186	6,664	6,267	12,931	2,797	1,888	4,685	8,246	25.12	9.10	10.07	25.60
1949	4,951	6,826	6,685	13,511	2,893	1,897	4,790	8,721	25.35	8.99	9.29	26.42
1950	5,434	7,293	6,935	14,228	3,022	2,036	5,058	9,170	25.47	9.05	9.73	27.13
1951— March Quarter....	1,491	1,971	1,760	3,731	677	510	1,187	2,544	26.30	8.37	10.51	38.06

II.—FINANCE.

No. 4—State Revenue, July, 1950, to March, 1951.

Particulars.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	9 months ended Mar. 1951.	Particulars.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	9 months ended Mar. 1951.
	£	£	£	£		£	£	£	£
GOVERNMENTAL.					PUBLIC UTILITIES.				
<i>Taxation.</i>					Bunbury Harb. Bd.				
Commonwealth					Fmtil. Harb. Trust	42,799	32,799	32,799	245,188
Reimbursement*	411,000	411,000	411,000	3,699,000	Goldf. Water Supply	29,818	58,795	40,943	270,103
Land Tax	20,958	27,954	30,262	124,907	State Abattoirs and				
Totalisator Tax	32,585	16,616	25,518	157,866	Saleyards	13,625	16,319	16,702	114,317
Stamp Duty	71,636	78,739	76,344	679,360	Met. Water Supply				
Probate Duty	28,523	53,966	33,584	370,400	and Sewerage	59,198	66,026	43,904	719,405
Licenses	44,646	25,560	8,264	173,647	Other Hydraulic				
Total	609,348	613,835	584,972	5,205,180	Undertakings	16,368	15,149	20,944	120,787
<i>Territorial.</i>					Railways	623,007	463,514	559,949	5,010,276
Land	30,946	31,447	41,662	230,647	State Ferries	1,465	1,047	1,326	7,834
Mining	6,460	4,421	2,080	28,340	State Batteries	9,286	4,560	6,019	69,592
Timber	23,109	18,650	22,757	219,485	Caves House	1,906	3,219	3,339	16,191
Total	60,515	54,518	66,499	478,472	Tramways	52,999	61,009	65,645	475,014
<i>Law Courts</i>					Total	850,471	722,437	791,570	7,048,707
Depart'l Reimburse-	12,022	10,335	11,026	99,359	STATE TRADING				
ments, Fees, etc.	210,311	165,487	252,966	1,773,405	CONCERNS.				
Royal Mint	6,500	8,500	11,496	72,570	Profits Recovered	10,000	2,000	2,000	49,000
Total	228,833	184,322	275,488	1,945,334	Recoup of Dep'mt'l				
<i>Commonwealth</i>					Charges, Interest,				
State Grants Acts	395,833	395,833	395,833	3,834,239	etc.	730	870	649	23,581
Interest Contribu-	39,453	39,453	39,453	355,077	Total	10,730	2,870	2,649	72,581
tions			16,362	36,736	GRAND TOTAL	2,195,183	2,013,268	2,172,826	18,976,326
Price Control									
Total (Common-	435,286	435,286	451,648	4,226,052					
wealth)									
Total (Govern-	1,333,982	1,287,961	1,378,607	11,855,038					
mental)									

* Income Tax and Entertainment Tax Reimbursement.

No. 5.—State Expenditure, July 1950 to March, 1951.

Particulars.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	9 months ended 31st Mar., 1951.	Particulars.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	9 months ended 31st Mar., 1951.
<i>Establishments.</i>	£	£	£	£	<i>Special Acts.</i>	£	£	£	£
Legislative Council	314	414	255	2,956	Constitution Acts	2,452	1,376	Cr.2,021	13,012
Legislative Assembly	486	446	423	4,077	Loan Acts	381,059	381,059	381,061	3,429,543
Joint House Com.	1,110	867	1,072	10,569	Agriculture Protection Board	35,000	35,000
Joint Library Com.	15	17	24	353	Auditor General	136	134	131	1,162
Joint Printing Com.	871	883	884	9,054	Court of Arbitration	390	Cr. 730	208	2,153
Total	2,796	2,627	2,658	27,009	Fire Brigades Act	10,040	28,586
<i>Departments.</i>					Forests Act	12,817	9,344	12,159	117,157
Premier's	1,183	1,813	1,911	19,759	Judges' Pensions	96	96	113	880
Treasury	4,617	5,116	5,679	44,482	Mine Workers' Relief	3,622	2	3	11,251
Governor's Estab....	852	446	694	4,959	Native Admin. Act	10,000
London Agency	610	3,895	740	13,165	Parl'm'ty Allowances	7,912	8,033	8,011	67,795
P.S. Commissioner	747	517	587	4,443	Pensions	14,507	13,413	13,675	121,328
Govt. Motor Cars	670	1,840	Cr. 338	5,248	Wheat Industry	30
Audit	3,748	2,981	3,173	28,089	Stabilisation	1,338
Compassionate Allowances	62	53	100	1,343	P.S. Commissioner	158	158	158	25,000
Government Stores	4,497	4,632	4,442	40,774	Royal Mint	4,751
Taxation	6,000	Stip. Magistrate	542	533	527	261,340
Superannuation Bd.	840	748	897	6,302	Superannuation Act	27,963	28,099	27,939	1,313
Printing	20,330	15,112	27,427	168,396	Agent General	146	163	129	33,738
Tourist Bureau	1,159	1,045	1,768	14,554	University of W.A.	3,333	3,333	3,333	126
Literary and Scientific	3,345	1,861	2,245	23,570	Pensions State Savings Bank Transfer Act	Cr. 47
Miscellaneous	221,964	254,886	373,060	2,364,000	Commonwealth Pensions	Cr. 47	22,393
Forests	9,669	9,752	10,333	84,791	Govt. Employees Pensions Act	2,114	2,147	3,169	6,540
Public Works and Buildings	77,602	71,540	69,955	588,387	Judges' Pensions & Salaries 1950	2,014	4,526
Town Planning	496	445	439	4,117	Total	467,287	449,127	488,121	4,194,389
Unemployment	23,251	23,394	24,194	207,895					
Land and Surveys	26	25	24	220					
Farmers' Debts	36,054	30,528	30,295	267,240					
Agriculture	2,536	2,271	1,986	25,408					
College of Agriculture	501	406	436	3,757					
Labour	1,435	1,833	1,284	12,268					
Factories	988	1,083	957	10,633					
Arbitration Court	3,369	15,258	5,496	51,719					
Indust. Development	12,656	12,804	11,704	105,326					
Child Welfare	22,035	17,885	21,354	177,813					
Mines	10,972	11,473	15,678	96,595					
Medical	33,835	39,052	32,231	302,027					
Public Health	31,458	25,076	38,356	261,102					
Mental Hospitals	5,911	4,595	5,701	42,721					
Chief Secretary	3,346	2,493	3,323	27,106	<i>Public Utilities.</i>				
Registry and Friendly Societies	6,635	9,257	8,133	70,555	Goldfields Water				
Prisons	177	176	204	1,822	Supply	35,061	39,505	30,409	277,860
Observatory	151,625	162,845	330,694	1,896,455	State Abattoirs	8,262	10,536	9,811	86,235
Education	63,626	66,219	62,737	524,062	Metropolitan Water				
Police	28,198	25,279	24,995	222,679	Supply, etc.	34,285	29,942	37,464	272,157
Crown Law	361	407	460	3,161	Other Hydraulic				
Licensing	12,000	12,000	16,000	98,000	Undertakings	20,167	31,805	22,600	193,114
Native Affairs	6,092	5,095	4,980	50,769	Railways	635,477	737,747	830,047	6,396,942
Harbour and Light	2,481	2,248	2,960	22,597	Tramways	66,470	63,658	63,976	561,285
Fisheries	1,955	5,595	3,132	35,393	State Ferries	1,246	1,355	1,586	11,086
State Housing	164	188	178	1,260	State Batteries	12,199	10,071	11,473	102,035
Commission	1,395	972	1,243	11,905	Caves House	1,791	2,248	2,752	17,686
Supply and Shipping					Total	814,958	926,867	1,010,118	7,918,400
Local Government					GRAND TOTAL	2,100,514	2,233,260	2,652,744	20,092,660
Total	815,473	854,639	1,151,847	7,952,867					

No. 6.—Net Loan Expenditure on Public Works, etc., from 1872.

Includes Expenditure from Loan Suspense Account.

Year ended 30th June.	Railways, Tramways, and Electric Power Station.	Harbours, Rivers, Light-houses, etc.	Roads and Bridges.	Public Buildings.	Water Supply and Sewerage, etc. (a)	Development of Goldfields and Mineral Resources.	Development of Agriculture. (b)	Immigration.	Miscellaneous. (c)	Total. (d)
To 1944	£ 29,087,944	£ 7,544,780	£ 3,183,327	£ 2,987,812	£ 18,866,017	£ 3,324,899	£ 27,583,854	£ 504,393	£ 7,446,943	£ 100,529,969
1945	75,366	30,519	120,395	74,836	137,868	Cr. 58,708	166,626	546,902
1946	174,984	37,609	225,298	236,486	185,436	Cr. 94,871	47,321	812,263
1947	433,794	86,436	388,101	726,741	253,830	Cr.131,816	288,541	2,043,627
1948	1,073,759	158,232	548,505	693,878	261,380	Cr.276,497	77,745	2,537,002
1949	1,521,820	224,499	549,572	813,227	324,608	Cr. 66,359	212,927	3,580,294
1950	4,593,902	401,853	678,299	1,001,043	360,442	543,099	526,058	8,104,696
Total	36,886,203	8,453,409	3,183,327	5,375,587	22,337,392	4,710,595	27,557,410	504,393	8,599,535	7,607,851

(a) Including Irrigation and Country Water Supplies.
Bank, and Land Settlement, etc.
Expenses and Revenue Deficits.(b) Including operations of the Rural and Industries
(c) Including State Business Undertakings.

(d) Exclusive of Flotation

No. 7.—Summary of State Revenue, 1st July, 1945, to 31st March, 1951.

Period.	Collected by the State.					From Common- wealth Funds.	Total State Revenue.	Mean Popula- tion.	Revenue per head of Popu- lation.
	Taxation.	Land, Timber, and Mining.	Business Concerns.		Other Sources.				
			Railways and Tramways.	Other.					
1945-46	£ 3,612,276	£ 354,460	£ 4,665,321	£ 2,057,039	£ 1,382,470	£ 2,335,991	£ 14,407,557	No. 489,982	£ 29.40
1946-47	4,453,098	526,373	4,459,926	1,513,626	1,681,420	2,346,432	14,980,875	497,006	30.14
1947-48	4,984,190	601,005	5,054,679	1,680,839	1,939,165	3,450,432	17,710,310	508,860	34.80
1948-49	5,836,240	553,076	5,752,684	1,884,620	2,460,594	4,073,432	20,560,646	522,184	39.37
1949-50	6,792,534	612,715	6,965,698	2,057,735	3,067,170	6,315,109	25,810,961	545,786	47.29
1950-51—									
Sept. Qr.	1,483,318	154,342	1,835,865	466,696	568,560	1,337,912	5,846,693
Dec. Qr.	1,913,707	142,598	1,823,301	604,700	688,130	1,565,920	6,748,356
Mar. Qr.	1,808,155	181,532	1,646,470	734,257	688,643	1,322,220	6,381,277

No. 8.—Summary of State Expenditure, from 1st July, 1945, to 31st March, 1951.

Period.		Interest and Sink- ing Funds, Public Debt.	Lands, Surveys, Forests, and Mines.	Business Concerns.		Educa- tion.	All other.	Total State Expendi- ture.	Per head of Popu- lation.
				Railways and Tramways.	Other.				
1945-46	£ 4,083,814	£ 418,410	£ 4,283,269	£ 1,131,418	£ 1,002,520	£ 3,488,126	£ 14,407,557	£ 29.40
1946-47	4,005,878	499,099	4,783,144	651,613	1,223,746	3,864,947	15,028,427	30.24
1947-48	4,044,269	553,835	6,246,659	753,465	1,648,768	4,815,396	18,062,392	35.50
1948-49	4,107,724	562,581	7,479,194	886,933	1,759,635	6,581,840	21,377,907	40.94
1949-50	4,254,104	733,279	9,062,229	1,056,247	2,079,781	8,601,563	25,787,203	47.25
1950-51—									
Sept. Qr.	1,143,176	188,784	2,316,116	295,590	653,986	1,804,486	6,402,138
Dec. Qr.	1,143,188	202,685	2,244,737	310,012	597,304	2,206,078	6,704,004
Mar. Qr.	1,143,179	196,187	2,397,375	354,568	645,164	2,250,045	6,986,518

No. 9.—Public Debt, 1946 to 1950 ; also Indebtedness per head of Estimated Population.

Date.	Amount Maturing.				Average nominal interest payable.	Accrued Sinking Fund on 30th June.	Net Indebtedness (Approximate).	
	London.	New York.	Australia.	Total.			Amount.	Per head of Population.
30th June—	£	£	£	£	%	£	£	£
1946	39,032,112	2,015,436	55,878,383	96,925,931	3.32	503,996	96,421,935	195.8
1947	39,001,170	2,015,436	57,985,695	99,002,301	3.25	545,284	98,457,017	195.9
1948	38,985,970	2,037,436	59,251,335	100,274,741	3.23	154,496	100,120,245	194.3
1949	39,757,466	2,034,353	61,896,924	103,688,743	3.16	62,822	103,625,921	194.5
1950	36,921,108	2,026,956	70,602,078	109,550,142	3.12	70,980	109,479,162	196.2

No. 10.—Commonwealth Savings Bank Transactions in Western Australia from 1st July, 1945.

Period.	Amount deposited during period. (a)	Amount withdrawn during period. (a)	Excess of De- posits over With- drawals.	Interest†	Number of Accounts.			Due to Depositors (at end of Period).		
					Opened.	Closed.	Remain- ing open. (Opera- tive.)‡	Total Amount.	Average to credit of each account.	Average per head of popula- tion.
1945-46	£	£	£	£	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1946-47	32,917,664	26,974,891	5,942,773	583,138	65,909	37,899	340,737	38,289,037	112.371	77.74
1947-48	26,140,983	23,426,316	b 2,285,333	621,383	53,314	42,865	349,091	36,625,137	104.911	72.80
1948-49	26,773,839	27,810,784	b 1,036,945	594,410	58,998	49,380	358,709	36,182,591	100.869	70.22
1949-50	28,389,145	27,634,325	754,820	597,557	50,669	44,248	365,130	37,534,968	102.800	70.82
1950-51—	33,528,416	32,072,387	1,456,029	621,364	55,572	42,032	378,670	38,990,997	102.968	69.89
Sept. Qr.	9,064,241	8,717,852	346,389	†	17,219	9,585	368,955	39,958,750	108.303
Dec. Qr.	9,229,412	9,378,627	b 149,215	†	14,408	9,458	373,266	39,809,535	106.652
Mar. Qr.	13,452,453	9,961,939	3,490,514	†	23,445	11,236	385,432	43,300,049	112.342

(a) Exclusive of transfers from and to other States of the Commonwealth. (b) Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits.

‡ At end of period.

† Available annually.

No. 11.—Bank Clearings—Weekly Averages for Perth during the undermentioned periods :—

Year.	Quarter Ended.				Year.
	March.	June.	September.	December.	
	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)
1946	3,655	3,411	3,691	3,787	3,637
1947	4,205	4,056	4,058	4,987	4,341
1948	5,252	5,264	5,184	6,354	5,519
1949	6,750	5,879	6,023	7,737	6,607
1950	8,808	7,304	8,228	10,897	8,829
1951	12,446

No. 12.—Cheque Paying Banks†—Average Deposits and Advances in Western Australia.
Averages based on Amounts as at close of business each Wednesday.

Period.	Deposits.						Loans, Advances, and Bills Discounted.			Ratio of Advances to Deposits.
	Not Bearing Interest.		Bearing Interest.			Total.	Aus-tralian Govts.	Other.	Total.	
	Aus-tralian Govts.	Other.	Aus-tralian Govts.	Other.						
				Current.	Fixed.					
1946-47	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)	%
1946-47	845	24,599	901	9,900	36,245	22,694	22,694	62.61
1947-48	1,193	29,142	919	9,762	41,016	24,377	24,377	59.43
1948-49	1,282	37,737	6	1,054	10,469	50,548	25,975	25,975	51.38
1949-50	1,310	44,800	1,237	11,019	58,366	29,493	29,493	50.53
1950-51—										
September Quarter	1,461	45,422	1,222	11,653	59,758	34,905	34,905	58.41
December Quarter	1,498	52,505	1,235	12,631	67,869	36,454	36,454	53.71
March Quarter	1,594	67,830	1,283	12,897	83,604	34,588	34,588	41.37

† Seven Trading Banks, Commonwealth Bank (General Banking Division only to September, 1948), and Rural and Industries Bank of W.A. (Rural Department only).

No. 13.—Seven Trading Banks†—Average Deposits and Advances in Western Australia.
Averages based on Amounts as at close of business each Wednesday.

Year.	Deposits.				Advances.			
	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.
	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)	(£,000)
1946	31,886	31,650	30,653	30,850	15,717	16,201	17,145	18,290
1947	33,267	33,356	32,378	33,685	17,738	17,819	18,755	19,719
1948	37,747	39,118	37,815	41,674	18,002	17,964	19,081	19,422
1949	47,721	47,425	43,347	47,882	17,272	17,625	19,563	19,777
1950	55,518	53,799	51,054	58,209	19,254	20,350	23,137	24,070
1951	70,631	22,396

† Viz., Bank of Adelaide, Bank of Australasia, Bank of New South Wales, Commercial Bank of Australia, English Scottish and Australian Bank, National Bank of Australasia, and Union Bank of Australia.

No. 14.—Real Estate Transactions from 1st July, 1945.
(Registrations at Land Titles Office.)

Period.	Transfers.		Mortgages.		Discharges of Mortgages.
	No.	£	No.	£	
1945-46	15,124	6,591,349	6,633	5,690,020	7,984
1946-47	18,615	9,568,890	10,566	9,409,085	9,799
1947-48	17,371	9,392,664	10,587	10,203,459	10,419
1948-49	19,436	11,477,590	10,567	10,419,810	10,042
1949-50	22,128	20,148,416	13,993	15,962,278	10,907
1950-51—					
September Quarter	6,320	6,620,832	4,718	6,138,015	3,073
December Quarter	6,041	6,662,923	4,249	5,210,120	2,697
March Quarter	6,053	7,858,761	3,663	4,574,153	2,871
Months—					
January	1,748	1,975,947	1,140	1,401,162	897
February	2,136	2,796,564	1,270	1,532,118	1,018
March	2,169	3,086,250	1,253	1,640,873	956

III.—SHIPPING.

No. 15.—Number and Net Tonnage of Vessels (including Vessels trading only within the State and Vessels calling at more than one Port) entered and cleared at each Western Australian Port during the Six Months ended 31st December, 1950.

ENTERED.

Ports.	Oversea.				Inter-State.				Local Shipping		Total.	
	Via Ports within the State.		From Ports outside the State.		Via Ports within the State.		From Ports outside the State.					
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Fremantle	12	33,742	269	1,467,439	19	53,134	219	1,193,474	22	38,422	541	2,786,211
Albany	2	11,192	4	22,921	15	54,516	3	3,624	24	92,253
Broome	4	7,136	2	4,337	3	3,407	3	3,407	21	35,727	33	54,014
Bunbury	1	4,408	6	18,210	4	13,861	18	45,238	29	81,717
Busselton	4	6,561	4	6,561
Carnarvon	6	11,526	2	2,977	5	5,729	2	2,284	43	52,195	58	74,711
Derby	1	1,393	5	10,794	1	1,161	18	31,807	25	45,155
Esperance	2	9,725	2	3,437	1	73	5	13,235
Geraldton	1	6,304	5	20,711	42	91,917	48	118,932
Onslow	3	8,284	5	5,653	39	51,997	47	65,934
Point Sampson	3	5,730	5	5,653	34	45,883	42	57,266
Port Hedland	5	9,256	3	3,369	30	36,064	38	48,689
Wyndham	2	7,000	1	4,309	2	7,365	12	19,410	17	38,084
Yampi	38	23,047	38	23,047

CLEARED.

Ports.	Oversea.				Inter-State.				Local Shipping.		Total.	
	Via Ports within the State.		For Ports outside the State.		Via Ports. within the State.		For Ports outside the State.					
Fremantle	No. 20	Tons. 51,539	No. 263	Tons. 1,402,759	No. 15	Tons. 25,925	No. 190	Tons. 1,146,781	No. 43	Tons. 121,256	No. 531	Tons. 2,748,260
Albany	1	8,403	11	52,091	1	73	5	15,524	6	16,162	24	92,253
Broome	3	5,743	3	5,633	8	9,136	19	34,596	33	55,108
Bunbury	3	9,911	12	36,658	10	21,653	4	12,043	29	80,265
Busselton	4	6,561	4	6,561
Carnarvon	2	4,434	3	6,216	6	6,890	1	1,123	46	56,448	58	75,111
Derby	2	2,516	2	4,337	5	5,729	1	1,161	15	31,412	25	45,155
Esperance	3	9,798	2	3,437	5	13,235
Geraldton	6	13,199	21	68,966	3	4,291	1	1,592	17	33,185	48	121,233
Onslow	1	1,393	3	9,108	8	9,174	35	46,259	47	65,934
Point Samson	2	3,513	7	8,013	33	45,740	42	57,266
Port Hedland	2	4,337	1	1,406	7	7,975	27	34,915	37	48,633
Wyndham	1	6,242	3	15,946	4	4,530	9	16,235	17	42,953
Yampi	6	6,814	1	1,161	31	15,072	38	23,047

No. 16.—Number and Net Tonnage of Vessels entered and cleared at Western Australian Ports, from and to Ports outside the State, during the undermentioned Periods.

Year.	Inwards.		Outwards.		Inwards and Outwards.	
	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.
1938-39	916	4,251,368	930	4,326,529	1,846	8,577,897
1945-46*	470	2,378,266	490	2,472,948	960	4,851,214
1946-47	541	2,532,759	572	2,646,285	1,113	5,179,044
1947-48	741	3,378,006	752	3,431,319	1,493	6,809,325
1948-49	943	4,632,678	950	4,677,867	1,893	9,310,545
1949-50	1,001	5,232,760	1,012	5,287,050	2,013	10,519,810
Six months ended 31st December, 1950	542	2,832,733	538	2,806,443	1,080	5,639,176

* Excluding Public Vessels under Control of Defence Authorities.

17.—Tonnage of Cargo Discharged and Shipped at Ports within the State.

Year.	Discharged.			Shipped.			Total.		
	Oversea.	Interstate.	Coastal.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Coastal.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Coastal.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1938-39	749,216	340,190	66,262	957,209	117,816	64,170	1,706,425	458,006	130,432
1945-46	624,631	405,966	79,582	496,722	323,200	62,655	1,121,353	729,166	142,237
1946-47	657,513	404,491	65,310	474,597	199,826	60,439	1,132,110	604,317	125,749
1947-48	741,289	419,997	66,452	898,944	155,844	57,950	1,640,233	575,841	124,402
1948-49	957,979	446,321	73,349	827,273	132,763	64,703	1,785,252	579,084	133,052
1949-50	1,279,068	421,270	82,941	862,809	129,170	79,839	2,141,877	550,440	162,780

No. 18—Tonnage of Cargo Discharged and Shipped at Ports within the State during the Nine Months ended 31st March, 1951.

Port.	Discharged.						Shipped.						Total.					
	Oversea.		Interstate.		Coastal.		Oversea.		Interstate.		Coastal.		Oversea.		Interstate.		Coastal.	
	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.
Fremantle	842,384	144,249	167,104	189,534	19,190	6,200	529,037	27,432	21,420	32,890	9,267	21,751	1,371,421	171,681	188,524	222,424	28,457	27,951
Albany	28,098	6,037	565	190	8	1,481	656	904	279	114	17	29,579	656	6,941	844	304	25
Broome	281	1	10	697	2,767	105	26	1	8	1,763	1,154	105	307	2	18	2,460	3,921
Bunbury	16,389	5	56	127,671	12,872	6,383	23,571	144,060	12,877	6,439	23,571
Busselton	2	530	6,199	530	6,201
Carnarvon	2,980	1	2,127	4,029	785	1	1,970	1,579	785	2,980	1	1	4,097	5,608
Derby	426	1,463	3,513	542	4,286	1,065	542	426	5,749	4,578
Esperance	7,244	9,919	1,531	995	7,244	9,919	1,531	995
Geraldton	31,692	3,443	274	368	144,799	1,328	7,383	488	25	176,491	4,771	7,383	762	393
Onslow	314	193	10,194	1,702	110	9	3,237	728	424	202	13,431	2,430
Point Samson	371	1,522	3,496	19	2,110	636	19	371	3,632	4,132
Port Hedland	799	1,585	4,359	267	12	2,411	2,282	267	799	12	3,996	6,641
Wyndham	944	424	24	36	1,256	3,307	6,306	2	9	2,197	967	7,250	424	26	45	3,453	4,274
Yampi	1,591	180	1,771
Total	927,065	163,090	174,754	191,142	40,089	29,749	811,122	42,323	36,623	62,969	28,023	30,204	1,738,187	205,413	211,377	254,111	68,112	59,953

IV.—TRADE.

Note.—The value of all Overseas Imports for the years 1938-39 to 1946-47, inclusive, have been recomputed to Australian Currency, F.O.B. Port of Shipment, in accordance with the revised basis of valuation for duty purposes which became operative on 15th November, 1947.

No. 19.—Value of Imports into Western Australia showing origin, and value per head of mean population.

Country of Origin	1938-39.	1945-46.	1946-47.	1947-48.	1948-49.	1949-50.
	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A
United Kingdom	2,652,934	2,220,989	3,962,064	7,679,413	11,625,088	18,944,881
Other States of Commonwealth.....	12,051,989	15,022,170	19,622,867	23,845,519	29,127,917	33,619,596
New Zealand	35,710	29,679	40,075	35,196	39,202	67,380
Other British	1,207,544	1,694,157	2,615,628	4,044,585	5,083,556	6,412,525
Total, British	15,948,177	18,966,995	26,240,634	35,604,713	45,875,763	59,044,382
Foreign Countries	2,732,361	2,615,555	4,222,913	7,007,387	6,590,441	10,345,694
Miscellaneous Countries (Outside Packages)	121,419	45,599	127,550	207,681	162,642	53,601
Grand Total	18,801,957	21,628,149	30,591,097	42,819,781	52,628,846	69,443,677
Value of Imports per head of Mean Population	40.270	44.141	61.551	84.148	100.786	127.236

No. 20.—Value of Exports from Western Australia showing destination and value per head of mean population.

Exports to.	1938-39.	1945-46.	1946-47.	1947-48.	1948-49.	1949-50.
	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A
United Kingdom	7,229,141	5,772,902	6,119,736	20,396,519	21,747,166	18,185,225
Other States of Commonwealth.....	5,407,517	5,831,009	5,729,459	5,799,708	4,747,502	6,210,525
New Zealand	103,652	28,403	129,767	106,726	13,197	150,600
Other British	1,454,189	6,920,609	7,665,826	13,522,857	9,479,425	15,234,861
Total, British	14,194,499	18,552,923	19,644,788	39,825,810	35,987,290	39,781,211
Foreign Countries	8,287,651	6,623,659	9,080,414	14,668,619	17,251,344	19,724,385
Destination Unknown		112,695	11,726			
Ships' Stores	524,260	1,255,603	983,087	1,236,801	2,355,206	2,360,040
Grand Total	23,006,410	26,544,880	29,720,015	55,731,230	55,593,840	61,865,636
Value of Exports per head of Mean Population	49.275	54.175	59.798	109.522	106.464	113.351

No. 21.—Total Value of Imports into, and Exports from, the State of Western Australia, from and to the other States of the Commonwealth.

Origin.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	Northern Territory.	Total
	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A
IMPORTS—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1950.							
Australian	11,008,515	15,865,790	1,574,426	4,390,966	578,869	201,030	33,619,596
Oversea	459,136	821,100	21,180	94,937	602	5,335	1,402,290
Total	11,467,651	16,686,890	1,595,606	4,485,903	579,471	206,365	35,021,886
EXPORTS*—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1950.							
Western Australia	1,174,122	2,552,416	102,143	1,269,179	96,836	216,038	5,410,734
Other Australian	115,841	182,113	7,114	81,679	709	72,241	459,697
Oversea	82,933	133,660	7,610	40,205	1,345	73,841	340,094
Total	1,372,896	2,868,189	116,867	1,391,063	99,390	362,120	6,210,525
IMPORTS—NINE MONTHS ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1951.							
Australian	11,544,718	14,135,243	1,380,043	4,662,264	444,179	197,222	32,413,669
Oversea	481,255	597,605	8,810	85,408	76	1,231	1,174,385
Total	12,025,973	14,782,848	1,388,853	4,747,672	444,255	198,453	33,588,054
EXPORTS*—NINE MONTHS ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1951.							
Western Australia	1,264,775	2,346,236	217,288	1,371,040	185,550	156,121	5,541,010
Other Australian	78,735	99,002	6,638	48,393	2,585	47,281	282,634
Oversea	75,770	79,390	11,222	202,576	522	73,125	442,605
Total	1,419,280	2,524,628	235,148	1,622,009	188,657	276,527	6,266,249

* Exclusive of Ships' Stores.

No. 22.—Value, according to Classes, of Imports into Western Australia.

Class No.	Name of Class.	1945-46.	1946-47.	1947-48.	1948-49.	1949-50.	Nine Months ended 31st March 1951.
		£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A
I	Foodstuffs of Animal Origin	707,800	817,268	1,020,398	1,129,274	1,532,246	1,244,604
II	Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin	2,122,054	2,703,180	3,708,843	4,137,974	4,405,447	3,847,180
III	Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors	266,116	324,321	339,964	362,980	398,004	356,629
IV	Tobacco and Preparations thereof	1,859,206	2,437,322	1,447,259	1,402,558	1,707,856	1,405,130
V	Live Animals	197,909	211,113	259,398	287,474	466,067	307,167
VI	Animal Substances not Foodstuffs	47,972	61,389	100,097	709,660	781,670	1,124,291
VII	Vegetable Substances and Fibres	194,632	261,818	313,214	347,970	460,268	462,157
VIII a	Yarns and Manufactured Fibres	709,284	787,724	1,399,425	1,846,586	1,930,495	1,091,485
VIII b	Textiles	1,567,774	2,247,029	3,775,999	4,404,685	4,868,932	4,362,349
VIII c	Apparel	1,466,128	2,330,348	3,341,589	4,710,527	5,450,083	4,551,863
IX	Oils, Fats and Waxes	1,686,558	2,229,547	4,082,018	4,758,723	6,080,974	6,167,479
X	Pigments, Paints and Varnishes	226,255	311,609	473,964	499,847	535,984	551,021
XI	Rocks and Minerals (including Ores and Concentrates)	545,971	428,941	398,195	651,805	1,123,277	1,187,209
XII a	Metals and Metal Manufactures	2,432,818	4,569,416	7,131,878	8,472,059	14,323,406	13,428,464
XII b	Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Appliances	624,344	946,036	1,980,739	2,225,928	2,896,162	2,520,710
XII c	Machines and Machinery	1,820,803	2,936,146	4,093,975	6,065,291	10,232,490	8,578,260
XIII a	Rubber and Rubber Manufactures	635,228	652,336	1,037,664	1,314,470	1,862,144	2,073,522
XIII b	Leather and Leather Manufactures	101,496	97,508	161,501	125,945	148,472	233,246
XIV	Wood and Wicker—Raw and Manufactured	220,950	394,829	345,508	570,755	521,815	439,448
XV	Earthenware, Cements, China, Glass, etc.	296,629	424,413	557,196	631,221	884,472	850,035
XVI a	Pulp, Paper and Board	506,983	797,718	960,779	1,104,315	892,629	881,041
XVI b	Paper Manufactures and Stationery	342,549	579,108	812,736	921,410	1,038,761	1,006,671
XVII	Sporting Materials, Toys, Fancy Goods, etc.	143,153	344,049	474,806	580,318	731,656	652,996
XVIII	Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments	108,715	207,124	331,476	453,645	467,963	488,479
XIX	Drugs, Fertilisers and Chemicals	1,966,160	2,252,507	2,539,403	2,835,529	3,359,946	2,977,422
XX	Miscellaneous	830,662	1,238,298	1,791,757	2,060,892	2,332,975	2,353,394
XXI	Gold and Silver; Bronze Specie	17,005	9,483	9,631
	Total Imports	21,628,149	30,591,097	42,819,781	52,628,846	69,443,677	63,151,883

No. 23.—† Value of the more important Products of Western Australian Origin exported, and of Ships' Stores ; also total Production of Coal.

Article.				1938-39.	1946-47.	1947-48.	1948-49.	1949-50.	Nine Months ended 30th March 1951.
Beef	Quantity....	lb.		16,501,339	14,016,341	14,005,410	17,718,558	18,993,314	16,896,687
	Value	£A		243,321	345,287	301,878	418,700	590,718	604,907
Mutton and Lamb	Quantity....	lb.		11,774,994	8,997,059	11,197,846	10,156,809	5,274,277	1,856,615
	Value	£A		318,927	204,434	292,167	354,124	242,556	96,320
Pork	Quantity....	lb.		1,278,045	2,879,603	668,757	1,374,622	358,571	473,479
	Value	£A		39,883	123,915	26,604	89,554	29,646	42,314
Meat in Tins	Quantity....	lb.		39,455	2,768,730	2,850,627	3,871,776	3,200,038	768,119
	Value	£A		2,283	162,637	157,160	170,465	201,657	61,258
Butter	Quantity....	lb.		4,133,697	2,028,660	4,502,304	4,574,374	3,251,478	985,520
	Value	£A		231,102	191,392	499,871	523,376	431,862	126,139
Eggs in Shell	Quantity....	doz.		734,900	1,169,834	1,491,372	2,070,305	2,052,330	1,409,310
	Value	£A		45,704	103,672	160,526	254,429	285,729	195,310
Fish (including Shellfish)	Quantity....	lb.		62,098	*496,190	2,230,065	4,054,163	3,306,551	2,604,522
	Value	£A		1,705	*60,017	217,989	506,365	423,955	508,328
Wheat	Quantity....	Cental		13,568,115	4,081,479	11,586,971	11,040,867	12,905,253	12,359,366
	Value	£A		3,027,703	4,481,773	16,904,254	14,049,810	16,692,007	17,930,011
Flour	Quantity....	Cental		1,780,586	2,593,983	2,799,915	2,624,056	2,316,287	2,292,664
	Value	£A		582,495	3,814,214	5,663,154	5,258,078	4,167,598	4,125,064
Fruit, Fresh	Quantity....	Cental		572,548	359,231	345,039	321,162	341,971	107,246
	Value	£A		587,701	722,723	843,867	725,957	890,073	335,967
Hides and Skins		£A		367,939	1,065,602	1,024,151	1,067,042	1,164,551	1,802,770
Wool	Greasy	Quantity....	lb.	68,408,797	75,186,771	80,204,830	85,919,353	83,405,237	65,861,007
		Value	£A	3,035,899	7,780,467	13,900,549	18,358,654	20,035,466	37,490,930
	Scoured	Quantity....	lb.	3,605,920	17,456,798	16,072,580	13,588,435	17,490,562	8,299,493
		Value	£A	234,681	2,479,906	2,721,435	3,176,250	5,426,116	5,111,096
Pearls and Shell		£A		110,777	60,048	196,106	188,814	124,859	114,834
Tanning Bark		£A		17,842	12,056	9,556	5,112	8,243	10,802
Tin Ore		£A		5,523	6,060	8,523	15,478	24,659	15,928
Timber		£A		721,941	863,140	1,099,073	1,006,760	1,002,150	693,454
Sandalwood		£A		34,571	100,616	35,571	35,635	45,546	60,908
Gold, Uncoined		£A		10,709,875	80,736	3,878,645	51,265	59,560	40,379
Silver—Bar, Ingot, etc.		£A		22,632	23,716	39,368	40,480	55,050	47,970
All Other Articles		£A		2,134,646	6,054,517	6,513,982	6,942,286	7,603,595	7,892,284
Total		£A		22,482,150	28,736,928	54,494,429	53,238,634	59,505,596	77,306,973
Ships' Stores		£A		524,260	983,087	1,236,801	2,355,206	2,360,040	2,805,475
Total Exports		£A		23,006,410	29,720,015	55,731,230	55,593,840	61,865,636	80,112,448
Collie Coal	Mined	Tons		588,904	673,431	719,750	767,112	781,877	619,253
	Value	£A		371,713	771,351	847,082	930,525	*1,150,081	988,597
	Bunkered (a)	Tons		9,420	3,889	7,844	1,650	1,157	1,609

(a) Included in Coal Production

† Items revised to exclude Ships' Stores.

* Revised since previous issue.

No. 24.—Wool Exported from the several Western Australian Ports.

Ports.	Oversea.				Interstate.				Total.			
	Greasy.		Scoured.		Greasy.		Scoured.		Greasy.		Scoured.	

YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1950.															
Fremantle	bale.	lb.	bale.	lb.	bale.	lb.	bale.	lb.	bale.	lb.
Albany	230,776	74,777,791	76,186	16,856,180	13,014	4,082,631	2,837	634,382	243,790	78,860,422
Broome	9,233	2,797,057	9,233	2,797,057
Bunbury
Carnarvon	1,794	652,801	1,794	652,801
Derby	288	67,233	288	67,233
Geraldton	1,142	406,470	1,142	406,470
Onslow	610	230,960	610	230,960
Point Samson	169	65,443	169	65,443
Port Hedland	962	324,851	962	324,851
Wyndham
Total	{	Quantity		244,974	79,322,606	76,186	16,856,180	13,014	4,082,631	2,837	634,382	257,988	83,405,237
		Value	£ A		19,090,427		5,203,502		945,039		222,614		20,035,466	

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Fremantle	bale.	lb.	bale.	lb.	bale.	lb.	bale.	lb.	bale.	lb.	bale.	lb.
Albany	202,165	61,328,565	34,554	7,431,334	5,974	1,921,302	3,929	868,159	208,139	63,249,867	38,483	8,299,493
Broome	3,468	1,035,921	3,468	1,035,921
Bunbury
Carnarvon	840	312,503	840	312,503
Derby	311	110,083	311	110,083
Geraldton	1,243	421,755	1,243	421,755
Onslow	649	229,090	649	229,090
Point Samson
Port Hedland	1,335	467,407	1,335	467,407
Wyndham	96	34,381	96	34,381
Total	Quantity		210,107		63,939,705		34,554		7,431,334		5,974	
	Value		216,081		65,861,007		1,921,302		868,159		216,081	
		£A	36,625,765		4,781,623		865,165		329,473		37,490,930	
											5,111,096	

**No. 25—Summary of Exports,* Oversea and Interstate, during the Nine Months ended
31st March, 1951.**

Articles.	Quantity				Value.		
	Unit.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
CLASS I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN, NOT INCLUDING LIVE ANIMALS.					£A	£A	£A
Meats, Poultry and Game—							
Preserved by Cold Process :							
Beef	lb.	16,890,044	6,643	16,896,687	604,162	745	604,907
Mutton and Lamb	lb.	1,775,188	81,427	1,856,615	91,753	4,567	96,320
Pork	lb.	465,988	7,491	473,479	41,394	920	42,314
Poultry	Pair.	76,507	400	76,907	95,984	667	96,651
Rabbits and Hares	Pair.	55,938	6,200	62,138	14,644	915	15,559
Bacon and Hams	lb.	855,164	104,523	959,687	110,911	14,123	125,034
Preserved in Tins	lb.	744,688	31,660	776,348	58,964	4,816	63,780
Sausage Casings	cwt.	465	1,476	1,941	18,826	14,282	33,108
Milk, Preserved, Condensed, Concentrated, etc.	lb.	8,859,415	1,557	8,860,972	461,912	93	462,005
Butter	lb.	870,858	116,508	987,366	114,181	12,210	126,391
Eggs in Shell	doz.	1,409,310	...	1,409,310	195,310	...	195,310
Eggs not in Shell	lb.	1,315,800	692	1,316,492	192,403	608	193,011
Honey	lb.	716,762	786	717,548	24,565	46	24,611
Fish (including Shellfish)—							
Fresh, Frozen, Smoked, Dried, or Salted	lb.	1,979,375	91,173	2,070,548	455,152	7,283	462,435
Preserved in Tins	lb.	33,783	514,171	547,954	3,632	43,918	47,550
Potted or Concentrated	lb.	...	783	783	...	398	398
Other Foodstuffs of Animal Origin					81,058	13,343	94,401
Total, Class I.					2,564,851	118,934	2,683,785
CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN : NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, ETC.							
Wheat	cental	12,355,168	4,198	12,359,366	17,926,262	3,749	17,930,011
Oats	cental	309,277	82	309,359	307,302	85	307,387
Flour (Wheaten)	cental	2,282,631	10,033	2,292,664	4,113,903	11,161	4,125,064
Prepared Breakfast Foods	lb.	5,966,480	45,712	6,012,192	92,517	569	93,086
Vegetables, Fresh—							
Onions	cwt.	1,862	6,774	8,636	3,070	10,948	14,018
Potatoes	cwt.	23,027	157,592	180,619	29,451	164,779	194,230
Tomatoes	cental	10,360	34,796	45,156	36,482	170,685	207,167
Other					44,418	8,695	53,113
Fruits, Fresh—							
Oranges	cental	5,376	213	5,589	16,379	599	16,978
Apples	cental	53,780	33,846	87,626	170,123	81,275	251,398
Grapes	cental	6,368	...	6,368	46,811	...	46,811
Other	cental	7,646	28	7,674	20,691	90	20,781
Fruits, Dried—							
Currants	lb.	371,840	997,320	1,369,160	14,950	51,750	66,700
Other	lb.	148	273,902	274,050	13	19,830	19,843
Fruits, Preserved in Liquid	lb.	21,922	72,240	94,162	1,190	3,616	4,806
Fruits, Pulped	lb.	49,480	49,480	49,480	4,000	4,000	4,000
Fruit Juices and Fruit Syrups	gal.	24,898	22,451	47,349	12,777	17,843	30,620
Jams and Jellies	lb.	8,964	10,524	19,488	358	496	854
Confectionery	lb.	443,144	462,959	906,103	44,165	54,179	98,344
Aerated and Mineral Waters					578	301	879
Other Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin					172,644	67,481	240,125
TOTAL, CLASS II.					23,054,084	672,131	23,726,215
CLASS III.—SPIRITUOUS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.							
Ale and Beer	gal.	2,944	124,791	127,735	1,122	58,254	59,376
Wine	gal.	50	7,063	7,113	48	5,831	5,879
Other Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors	gal.	276	1,023	1,299	632	4,147	4,779
TOTAL, CLASS III.					1,802	68,232	70,034
CLASS IV.—TOBACCO AND PREPARATIONS THEREOF.							
Tobacco, Unmanufactured	lb.	...	403,296	403,296	...	102,029	102,029
Tobacco, Manufactured	lb.	24	43,354	43,378	14	27,810	27,824
Cigarettes	lb.	...	43,479	43,479	...	48,714	48,714
Cigars and Snuff	lb.	...	1,716	1,716	...	3,114	3,114
TOTAL, CLASS IV.					14	181,667	181,681
CLASS V.—LIVE ANIMALS.							
Cattle	No.	27	...	27	1,213	...	1,213
Horses	No.	6	25	31	3,213	20,646	23,859
Sheep	No.	66,376	38	66,414	229,907	3,597	233,504
Other Live Animals					8,624	35	8,659
TOTAL, CLASS V.					242,957	24,278	267,235

*Exclusive of Ships' Stores.

No. 25.—Summary of Exports,* Oversea and Interstate, during the Nine Months ended
31st March 1951—continued.

Articles.	Quantity.				Value.		
	Unit.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
CLASS VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES NOT FOODSTUFFS.					£A	£A	£A
Hides and Skins—							
Kangaroo	No.	77,716	120,239	197,955	42,152	53,939	96,091
Rabbit and Hare	lb.	166,062	26,164	192,226	22,353	2,221	24,574
Other Furred Skins						3,205	3,205
Cattle and Calf	No.	16,367	24,468	40,835	95,607	7,180	102,787
Sheep and Lamb	No.	889,322	38,561	927,883	1,526,753	32,608	1,559,361
Wool, Greasy	lb.	63,939,705	1,921,302	65,861,007	36,625,765	865,165	37,490,930
Wool, Scoured	lb.	7,431,334	868,159	8,299,493	4,781,623	329,473	5,111,096
Pearlshell	wt.	6,699		6,699	134,836		134,836
Other Animal Substances					221,910	655,823	877,733
TOTAL, CLASS VI.					43,450,999	1,949,614	45,400,613
CLASS VII.—VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES.							
Subterranean Clover Seed	lb.		509,667	509,667		47,209	47,209
Flax Fibre	cwt.		4,143	4,143		54,424	54,424
Tanning Bark	cwt.	19	8,359	8,378	20	10,782	10,802
Other Vegetable Substances					227,239	100,286	327,525
TOTAL, CLASS VII.					227,259	212,701	439,960
CLASS VIII. (a).—YARNS AND MANU- FACTURED FIBRES					453	157,801	158,254
CLASS VIII. (b).—TEXTILES.							
Piece Goods, Woollen						86,415	86,415
Other Textiles					1,802	37,780	39,582
TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (b)					1,802	124,195	125,997
CLASS VIII. (c).—APPAREL.							
Footwear					6,808	148,704	155,512
Other Apparel and Attire					1,404	74,739	76,143
TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (c)					8,212	223,443	231,655
CLASS IX.—OILS, FATS AND WAXES.							
Animal Oils and Fats—Edible	lb.	624,684	828,895	1,453,579	31,073	15,826	46,899
Tallow—Inedible	cwt.	7,173	7,864	15,037	42,928	11,797	54,725
Other Oils, Fats and Waxes					351,533	14,112	365,645
TOTAL, CLASS IX.					425,534	41,735	467,269
CLASS X.—PIGMENTS, PAINTS AND VARNISHES					3,268	19,249	22,517
CLASS XI.—ROCKS, MINERALS (IN- CLUDING ORES AND CONCENTRATES) AND HYDROCARBONS.							
Asbestos, Crude and Fibre	cwt.	7,490	18,619	26,109	49,587	101,027	150,614
Felspar	cwt.	1,483	24,462	25,945	843	6,113	6,956
Kyanite	cwt.		10	10		43	43
Ores and Concentrates—							
Manganese Ore	cwt.		229,623	229,623		77,016	77,016
Tantalite-Columbite	cwt.	71		71	2,220		2,220
Antimony	cwt.						
Silver, Silver-Lead, and Lead	cwt.	31,401	7	31,408	87,070	546	87,616
Tin	cwt.	306	236	542	10,900	5,028	15,928
Gold	cwt.		3,348	3,348		41,726	41,726
Other Rocks, Minerals, etc.					8,770	10,026	18,796
TOTAL, CLASS XI.					159,390	241,525	400,915
CLASS XII. (a).—METALS AND METAL MANUFACTURES.							
Motor Cars and Parts					3,885	52,024	55,909
Metals and Metal Manufactures					22,908	245,683	268,591
TOTAL, CLASS XII. (a)					26,793	297,707	324,500

* Exclusive of Ships' Stores.

No. 25.—Summary of Exports,* Oversea and Interstate, during the Nine Months ended
31st March, 1951—continued.

Article.	Quantity.				Value.		
	Unit.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
CLASS XII. (b).—DYNAMO ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, APPLIANCES, EQUIPMENT, ETC.	£A 3,314	£A 123,330	£A 126,644
CLASS XII. (c).—MACHINES AND MACHINERY.							
Agricultural, Horticultural and Viticultural Implements and Machinery	13	6,423	6,436
Other Machines and Machinery	24,139	653,660	677,799
TOTAL, CLASS XII. (c)	24,152	660,083	684,235
CLASS XIII. (a).—RUBBER AND RUBBER MANUFACTURES	2,689	4,894	7,583
CLASS XIII. (b).—LEATHER AND LEATHER MANUFACTURES.							
Leather	72,000	117,695	189,695
Leather Manufactures	231	2,209	2,440
TOTAL, CLASS XIII. (b)	72,231	119,904	192,135
CLASS XIV.—WOOD AND WICKER, RAW AND MANUFACTURED.							
Sandalwood	cwt.	5,178	5,178	60,908	60,908
Timber—Super Footage Recorded	Super ft	7,040,149	14,864,099	21,904,248	288,609	387,675	676,284
Timber—Super Footage not Recorded	17,396	17,396
Miscellaneous Wood and Wicker Manufactures	848	41,330	42,178
TOTAL, CLASS XIV.	350,365	446,401	796,766
CLASS XV.—EARTHENWARE, CEMENTWARE, CHINA, GLASS AND STONEWARE							
Earthenware, Cementware, Stoneware, Chinaware, etc.	972	45,357	46,329
Glass and Glassware	126	5,195	5,321
Other	300	70,322	70,622
TOTAL, CLASS XV.	1,398	120,874	122,272
CLASS XVI. (a).—PULP, PAPER AND BOARD	553	13,958	14,511
CLASS XVI. (b).—PAPER MANUFACTURES AND STATIONERY	4,183	32,595	36,778
CLASS XVII.—SPORTING MATERIAL, TOYS, FANCY GOODS, JEWELLERY AND TIMEPIECES	2,611	6,744	9,355
CLASS XVIII.—OPTICAL, SURGICAL AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS	4,606	14,285	18,891
CLASS XIX.—DRUGS, FERTILISERS AND CHEMICALS.							
Oils, Essential	lb.	19,667	87,013	106,680	18,796	62,880	81,676
Flavouring and Perfume Materials	6,491	51,769	58,260
Arsenic—White	cwt.	480	480	721	721
Other Drugs, Chemicals, etc.	62,436	80,248	142,684
TOTAL, CLASS XIX.	87,723	195,618	283,341
CLASS XX.—MISCELLANEOUS	267,767	194,351	462,118
CLASS XXI.—GOLD AND SILVER ; BRONZE SPECIE.							
Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, and Sheet	fine oz.
Silver—Bar, Ingot, and Sheet	oz.	134,442	134,442	47,970	47,970
Specie—Gold, Silver, and Bronze	3,744	(a)	(a) 3,744
TOTAL, CLASS XXI.	51,714	51,714
GRAND TOTAL, EXPORTS	71,040,724	6,266,249	77,306,973

* Exclusive of Ships' Stores.

(a) Interstate exports of specie not recorded.

No. 26.—Exports, being Ships' Stores, during the Nine Months ended 31st March, 1951

Article.	OVERSEA.				INTERSTATE.				Total.	
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.	Value.
	Aus- tralian Pro- duce.	Over- sea Pro- duce.	Aus- tralian Pro- duce.	Over- sea Pro- duce.	Aus- tralian Pro- duce.	Over- sea Pro- duce.	Aus- tralian Pro- duce.	Over- sea Pro- duce.		
			£	£			£	£		£
Ale, Beer, Porter, etc. gal.	13,352	4,501	3,992	1,815	17,344	6,316
Biscuits lb.	8,490	732	7,265	441	15,755	1,173
Brushware	78	78
Butter lb.	136,855	20,120	3,657	390	140,512	20,510
Cheese	47,731	5,405	1,376	116	49,107	5,521
Coal (Bunker) ton	8,540	44,405	6,445	31,068	14,985	75,473
Coffee, Cocoa, Choco- late lb.	8,513	2,256	296	90	8,809	2,346
Cordage and Twine	728	261	989
Eggs in Shell doz.	132,098	24,136	8,856	1,474	140,954	25,610
Fish—Fresh lb.	132,095	448	16,661	47	12,023	1,364	144,566	18,072
Fish—Preserved	6,758	7,180	918	782	504	912	44	113	15,354	1,857
Fruits—Preserved	28,014	3,047	374	26	28,388	3,073
Fruits—Fresh cntl.	7,642	24,077	407	1,321	8,049	25,398
Fruits and Vege- tables (in liquid, etc.) lb.	83,616	1,160	5,127	117	2,517	161	87,293	5,405
Vegetables, Fresh	46,622	2,847	49,469
Grain and Pulse— Beans and Peas cntl.	140	836	2	8	142	844
Bran, etc.	18	6	18	6
Flour, Wheaten	7,003	8,491	88	95	7,091	8,586
Rice	2,539	5,288	6	10	2,545	5,298
Hay and Chaff cwt.	5,662	3,889	5,662	3,889
Jams and Jellies lb.	8,549	651	914	39	9,463	690
Live Animals—Sheep No.	16	72	16	72
Meats— Bacon and Hams, etc. lb.	49,531	7,180	12,770	1,564	62,301	8,744
Fresh and Smoked Frozen (other than Rabbits and Hares)	1,044,800	79,708	136,879	9,081	1,181,679	88,789
Rabbits and Hares pair	44,350	4,604	44,350	4,604
Potted and Con- centrated	254	62	58	7	312	69
Preserved in tins Other (including Salted) cwt.	15,685	7	2	9
Milk (Preserved) lb.	210	3,589	9	46	219	3,635
Oils, Fuel for Vessels gal.	96,994	5,026	1,449	114	98,443	5,140
Oils, Other	62,841,126	2,156,134	2,557,028	120,158	65,398,154	2,276,292
Onions cwt.	1,057	33,184	695	9,415	1,021	297	35,262	10,407
Paints and Colours	76	137	101	230	177	367
Potatoes	1,225	2,358	22	237	1,247	2,595
Salt	17,169	20,443	1,369	1,632	18,538	22,075
Soap lb.	37	47	7	12	44	59
Spirits gal.	13,477	854	3,398	127	16,875	981
Sugar cwt.	747	200	951	562	14	84	961	1,597
Tea lb.	3,383	8,899	54	123	3,437	9,022
Tobacco	7,641	2,114	914	147	8,555	2,261
Cigars	1,354	50	764	24	780	888	2,184	1,676
Cigarettes
Wine—Still gal.	4,111	1,251	3,255	732	437	1,057	5,799	5,044
All other Articles	7,937	2,475	10	10	7,947	2,485
Total	429,012	2,192,169	63,925	120,369	2,805,475
			2,621,181				184,294			

**No. 27.—Summary of Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Nine Months ended
31st March, 1951.**

Note—Values are recorded in Australian Currency. See note at head of page 12.

Articles.	Quantity.				Value.		
	Unit.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
CLASS I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN, NOT INCLUDING LIVE ANIMALS.							
Meats, Poultry and Game—							
Preserved in Tins	lb.	79,982	2,596,983	2,676,965	8,723	196,117	204,840
Potted and Concentrated	506	19,941	20,447
Sausage Casings	cwt.	103	842	945	6,073	12,710	18,783
Milk and Cream—							
Preserved, Condensed, Concentrated, etc.	lb.	540,558	540,558	34,456	34,456
Dried or in Powdered Form, and Malted	lb.	112,000	2,108,883	2,220,883	3,816	233,691	237,507
Butter	lb.	661,446	661,446	72,116	72,116
Butter Substitutes	lb.	1,688,885	1,688,885	77,972	77,972
Cheese	lb.	14,970	2,117,990	2,132,960	3,387	194,033	197,420
Infants' and Invalids' Foods	lb.	1,714	679,686	681,400	434	94,068	94,502
Fish—							
Fresh, Frozen, Smoked, Dried or Salted	lb.	1,251,350	12,341	1,263,691	65,016	1,342	66,358
Preserved in Tins	lb.	848,952	84,146	933,098	97,140	11,329	108,469
Potted or Concentrated	lb.	3,387	55,260	58,647	447	12,766	13,213
Gelatine—Edible	lb.	49,214	168,078	217,292	9,343	29,523	38,866
Other Foodstuffs of Animal Origin....	114	59,541	59,655
TOTAL, CLASS I.	194,999	1,049,605	1,244,604
CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN; NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.							
Grains or Cereals Unprepared—							
Barley	cental	53,681	53,681	37,605	37,605
Maize	cental	1,481	1,481	2,856	2,856
Other	cental	1,622	1,622	2,441	2,441
Grains or Cereals Prepared—							
Barley, Pearl and Scotch	lb.	141,150	141,150	1,732	1,732
Rice	cental	3	19,346	19,349	9	29,919	29,928
Cornflour	lb.	1,624,423	1,624,423	47,259	47,259
Oatmeal, Wheatmeal, and Rolled Oats	lb.	810	671,473	672,283	49	16,443	16,492
Other Breakfast Foods	lb.	12	353,462	353,474	1	19,746	19,747
Malt	cental	1,097	1,097	2,325	2,325
Macaroni and Vermicelli	lb.	67	718,021	718,088	6	38,299	38,305
Biscuits	lb.	30,371	124,434	154,805	4,710	12,347	17,057
Vegetables, Fresh—							
Onions	cwt.	7,209	6,575	13,784	13,776	8,941	22,717
Potatoes	cwt.	64,005	64,005	53,266	53,266
Pulse, Unprepared	cental	3,180	6,330	9,510	6,029	14,320	20,349
Pulse, Simply Prepared (includes Split Peas)	cental	105	3,283	3,388	450	9,696	10,146
Vegetables Preserved in Liquid	lb.	14,799	3,345,214	3,360,013	1,385	196,035	197,420
Fruits, Fresh—							
Bananas	cental	22,312	22,312	74,510	74,510
Other	cental	5	2,449	2,454	63	8,382	8,445
Fruits, Dried	lb.	559,205	1,747,518	2,306,723	13,195	115,541	128,736
Fruits, Preserved in Liquid	lb.	193,816	3,243,882	3,437,698	9,839	150,217	160,056
Jams and Jellies	lb.	5,920	4,071,722	4,077,642	417	197,436	197,853
Jelly Crystals and Jelly Powders	lb.	215,141	215,141	20,005	20,005
Pickles and Sauces	doz. pt.	81,848	1,503,573	1,585,421	8,313	122,327	130,640
Sugar, Refined	cwt.	4,989	4,989	6,341	6,341
Spices	lb.	59,662	162,822	222,484	26,307	41,918	68,225
Coffee and Chicory—Roasted, Ground, and in Liquid	lb.	59,774	59,774	22,261	22,261
Tea	lb.	2,706,919	555,336	3,262,255	624,288	92,648	716,936
Confectionery	lb.	42,910	3,736,636	3,779,546	6,220	483,586	489,806
Hops	lb.	85,183	104,252	189,435	22,765	23,615	46,380
Other Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin	112,149	1,145,192	1,257,341
TOTAL, CLASS II.	849,971	2,997,209	3,847,180
CLASS III.—SPIRITUOUS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.							
Ale and Beer	gal.	4,117	10,260	14,377	1,848	6,129	7,977
Cider and Perry	gal.	288	288	126	126
Wine	gal.	193	323,492	323,685	501	184,450	184,951
Spirits (Beverages)	pf. gal.	19,236	101,653	120,889	35,054	128,521	163,575
TOTAL, CLASS III.	37,403	319,226	356,629

**No. 27.—Summary of Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Nine Months ended
31st March, 1951—continued.**

Article.	Quantity.				Value.		
	Unit.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
					£A	£A	£A
CLASS IV.—TOBACCO AND PREPARATIONS THEREOF.							
Tobacco, Unmanufactured	lb.	138,372	28	138,400	47,305	57	47,362
Tobacco, Manufactured	lb.	50,031	978,999	1,029,030	23,730	603,939	627,669
Cigarettes	lb.	244,727	517,773	762,500	216,247	493,366	709,613
Cigars	lb.	143	10,430	10,573	414	20,029	20,443
Snuff	lb.	20	11	31	27	16	43
TOTAL, CLASS IV.					287,723	1,117,407	1,405,130
CLASS V.—LIVE ANIMALS.							
Cattle	No.	5	6,479	6,479	3,047	114,978	114,978
Horses	No.		78	83	116	29,618	62,665
Sheep	No.	1	11,472	11,473	1238	155,120	155,236
Other Live Animals						3,050	4,288
TOTAL, CLASS V.					4,401	302,766	307,167
CLASS VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES, NOT FOODSTUFFS.							
Hides and Skins—Cattle and Calf	No.		4,931	4,931		17,474	17,474
Wool Tops	lb.		174,225	174,225		117,236	117,236
Other Animal Substances					5,736	983,845	989,581
TOTAL, CLASS VI.					5,736	1,118,555	1,124,291
CLASS VII.—VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES.							
Seeds					1,787	46,439	48,226
Fibres, Kapok	lb.	556,401		556,401	84,312		84,312
Fibres, Other					189,082	6,796	195,878
Other Vegetable Substances					92,732	41,009	133,741
TOTAL, CLASS VII.					367,913	94,244	462,157
CLASS VIII. (a).—YARNS AND MANUFACTURED FIBRES.							
Yarn	lb.	109,944	178,870	288,814	24,787	165,121	189,908
Sewing and Other Cottons					40,648	26,324	66,972
Cordage and Twines					3,654	73,110	76,764
Bags and Sacks—							
Bran, Chaff, and Fodder	doz.	6,800		6,800	13,139		13,139
Corn and Flour	doz.	323,930	6,242	330,172	554,594	13,917	568,511
Woolpacks	doz.	14,597	358	14,955	141,295	1,779	143,074
Other	doz.	2,008	9,995	12,003	3,106	12,493	15,599
Other Manufactured Fibres					11,830	5,688	17,518
TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (a)					793,053	298,432	1,091,485
CLASS VIII. (b).—TEXTILES.							
Blankets and Blanketing					26,081	123,418	149,499
Rugs and Rugging					16,407	9,544	25,951
Towels and Towelling					81,795	53,599	135,394
Piece Goods					1,716,233	1,091,915	2,808,148
Floor and Other Coverings					613,398	150,042	763,440
Other Textiles and Textile Manufactures					147,788	332,129	479,917
TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (b)					2,601,702	1,760,647	4,362,349
CLASS VIII. (c).—APPAREL.							
Headwear					15,203	140,187	155,390
Footwear					46,871	893,063	939,934
Other Apparel					170,033	3,286,506	3,456,539
TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (c)					232,107	4,319,756	4,551,863

No. 27.—Summary of Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Nine Months ended
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Articles.	Quantity.				Value.		
	Unit.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
					£A	£A	£A
CLASS IX.—OILS, FATS AND WAXES.							
Animal Oils and Fats—Edible	lb.	160,606	160,606	5,875	5,875
Greases and Grease Substitutes	lb.	5,350	1,478,210	1,483,560	516	40,909	41,425
Linseed Oil	gal.	14,471	46,122	60,593	10,020	50,292	60,312
Turpentine	gal.	8,618	290	8,908	2,704	124	2,828
Petroleum and Shale Oils in Bulk— Petroleum and Shale Spirit (Petrol, etc.)	gal.	37,618,312	22,352	37,640,664	2,178,445	4,118	2,182,563
Turpentine Substitutes	gal.	232,892	4,356	237,248	13,496	692	14,188
Kerosene and the Like	gal.	9,485,992	33,044	9,519,036	454,611	3,412	458,023
Solar	gal.	2,745,729	2,745,729	115,002	115,002
Residual	gal.	100,581,938	100,581,938	2,677,162	2,677,162
Lubricating (Mineral)	gal.	2,397,181	626,873	3,024,054	256,189	185,799	441,988
Other Oils, Fats and Waxes	70,103	98,010	168,113
TOTAL, CLASS IX.	5,778,248	389,231	6,167,479
CLASS X.—PIGMENTS, PAINTS AND VARNISHES							
....	29,025	521,996	551,021
CLASS XI.—ROCKS, MINERALS (IN- CLUDING ORES AND CONCENTRATES) AND HYDROCARBONS.							
Coal	ton.	58,877	58,877	190,458	190,458
Asphalt, Bitumen, Tar and Pitch	cwt.	141,482	4,786	146,268	46,581	4,771	51,352
Asbestos	cwt.	30,145	30,145	110,846	110,846
Sulphur (including Brimstone)	cwt.	586,822	1,594	588,416	776,338	2,517	778,855
Other Rocks, Minerals and Hydro- carbons	14,964	40,734	55,698
TOTAL, CLASS XI.	948,729	238,480	1,187,209
CLASS XII. (a).—METALS AND METAL MANUFACTURES.							
Iron and Steel—							
Pig Iron	cwt.	20	19,433	19,453	35	10,979	11,014
Ingot, Blooms, Slabs, Billets, etc. Bar and Rod, Wire Rod, Angles and Tees, Hoop, Strip, etc.	cwt.	380	12,674	13,054	662	29,858	30,520
Plate and Sheet, Tinned and Terne Plate	cwt.	120,640	188,719	309,359	230,003	209,192	439,195
Plate and Sheet, Galvanized	cwt.	56,589	5,079	61,668	222,826	17,309	240,135
Plate and Sheet, Other	cwt.	183,645	84,436	268,081	790,495	186,829	977,324
Pipes and Tubes and Fittings therefor	cwt.	236,644	150,803	387,447	417,904	267,825	685,729
Structural	cwt.	60,540	90,065	150,605	235,794	290,490	526,284
Other (including Ferro-Alloys)	cwt.	55,107	10,613	65,720	84,309	10,921	95,230
Non-Ferrous Metals (including Non- Ferrous Alloys)	169,592	54,481	224,073
Other Metal Manufactures	cwt.	7,449	41,807	49,256	127,600	368,599	496,199
Vehicles—	1,403,916	1,671,095	3,075,011
Motor Cars, Trucks, etc.	3,023,654	1,785,449	4,809,103
Motor Car and Truck Parts	351,072	766,086	1,117,158
Other Vehicles and Parts	454,559	246,930	701,489
TOTAL, CLASS XII. (a)....	7,512,421	5,916,043	13,428,464
CLASS XII. (b).—DYNAMO ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, APPLIANCES, EQUIP- MENT, ETC.							
Covered Cable and Covered Wire—							
Electrical	118,653	185,475	304,128
Lamps, Filament	25,702	58,836	84,538
Wireless (Radio) Equipment	6,176	412,517	418,693
Telephone and Telegraph Instruments and Appliances	196,921	137,532	334,453
Heating and Cooking Appliances, Elec- trical	16,885	62,371	79,256
Other Electrical Equipment and Appliances	401,204	467,204	868,408
Dynamo Electrical Machinery	257,214	174,020	431,234
TOTAL, CLASS XII. (b)....	1,022,755	1,497,955	2,520,710

No. 27.—Summary of Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Nine Months ended
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Articles.	Quantity.				Value.		
	Unit.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total
					£A	£A	£A
CLASS XII. (c).—MACHINES AND MACHINERY (EXCEPT DYNAMO ELECTRICAL).							
Internal Combustion Engines and Parts	383,575	210,863	594,438
Tractors and Road Rollers (including Parts)	1,824,630	475,406	2,300,036
Refrigerating Appliances and Parts	207,191	1,075,576	1,282,767
Vacuum Cleaners and Parts	102,506	49,743	152,249
Agricultural, Horticultural, and Viti- cultural Machinery and Implements	134,196	859,529	993,725
Excavating, Stone Crushing, Road Making, etc., Machinery	55,847	281,741	337,588
Mining and Metallurgical Machinery	85,374	110,430	195,804
Metal-working Machinery	127,684	120,338	248,022
Wood-working Machinery	25,986	59,062	85,048
Other Machinery	1,316,925	1,071,658	2,388,583
TOTAL, CLASS XII. (c)....	4,263,914	4,314,346	8,578,260
CLASS XIII. (a).—RUBBER AND RUBBER MANUFACTURES.							
Crude, Waste and Masticated Rubber	21,280	761	22,041
Hose, Rubber and Other	9,473	118,945	128,418
Tyres, Pneumatic—
Covers	252,838	1,200,530	1,453,368
Tubes	44,985	178,822	223,807
Other Rubber and Rubber Manufac- tures	28,497	217,391	245,888
TOTAL, CLASS XIII. (a)....	357,073	1,716,449	2,073,522
CLASS XIII. (b).—LEATHER AND LEATHER MANUFACTURES.							
Leather	703	75,332	76,035
Leather Manufactures	37,741	119,470	157,211
TOTAL, CLASS XIII. (b)....	38,444	194,802	233,246
CLASS XIV.—WOOD AND WICKER, RAW AND MANUFACTURED.							
Wicker, Bamboo and Cane, and Manu- factures thereof	12,341	255	12,596
Timber—Super Footage Recorded	sup. ft.	3,841,758	513,042	4,354,800	147,259	33,662	180,921
Timber—Super Footage Not Recorded	12	6,599	6,611
Veneers and Plywood	sq. ft.	74,526	1,480,784	1,555,310	1,070	45,669	46,739
Miscellaneous Wood Manufactures	28,233	95,990	124,223
Furniture	14,456	53,902	68,358
TOTAL, CLASS XIV.	203,371	236,077	439,448
CLASS XV.—EARTHENWARE, CEMENT, CHINA, GLASS AND STONEWARE.							
Crockery and Householdware (exclud- ing Household Glassware)	122,167	7,750	129,917
Glass	44,754	60,077	104,831
Glassware	59,766	145,500	205,266
Other Earthenware, etc.	201,063	208,958	410,021
TOTAL, CLASS XV.	427,750	422,285	850,035
CLASS XVI. (a).—PULP, PAPER, AND BOARD.							
Paper—
Writing and Typewriting	cwt.	6,319	886	7,205	40,444	8,182	48,626
Printing	cwt.	84,506	36,525	121,031	208,505	167,817	376,322
Wrapping	cwt.	17,450	27,807	45,257	97,398	149,701	247,099
Other	39,545	31,803	71,348
Paper Boards	59,391	78,255	137,646
TOTAL, CLASS XVI. (a)....	445,283	435,758	881,041

No. 27.—Summary of Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Nine Months ended
31st March, 1951—continued.

Articles.	Quantity.				Value.		
	Unit.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
					£A	£A	£A
CLASS XVI. (b).—PAPER MANUFACTURES AND STATIONERY.							
Bags and Other Containers	306	156,983	157,289
Books (Printed), Music, Magazines and Periodicals, Newspapers	135,070	251,525	386,595
Stationery—Paper	12,909	189,516	202,125
Stationery—Other	41,160	82,030	123,190
Other Paper Manufactures	26,095	111,377	137,472
TOTAL, CLASS XVI. (b)....	215,240	791,431	1,006,671
CLASS XVII.—SPORTING MATERIAL, TOYS, FANCY GOODS, JEWELLERY AND TIMEPIECES.							
Sporting Material	18,890	86,717	105,607
Toys	84,959	101,922	186,881
Fancy Goods	29,824	53,328	83,152
Jewellery	23,723	115,993	139,716
Timepieces	38,772	98,868	137,640
TOTAL, CLASS XVII.	196,168	456,828	652,996
CLASS XVIII.—OPTICAL, SURGICAL AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS	149,762	338,717	488,479
CLASS XIX.—DRUGS, FERTILISERS AND CHEMICALS.							
Drugs and Medicinal Preparations	66,337	570,360	636,697
Cream of Tartar	lb.	48,492	48,492	4,563	4,563
Cream of Tartar Substitutes	lb.	392	318,720	319,112	42	20,825	20,867
Yeast	lb.	356,494	356,494	18,509	18,509
Salt	lb.	701,638	3,738,464	4,440,102	6,184	14,619	20,803
Essential Oils	59,748	74,723	134,471
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations	9,048	273,021	282,069
Soap, Soap Substitutes and Compounded Detergents	5,402	350,553	355,955
Fertilisers—							
Ammonium Sulphate	cwt.	50,110	7,066	57,176	59,376	8,200	67,576
Rock Phosphates	cwt.	3,716,704	3,716,704	600,949	600,949
Sodium Nitrate	cwt.	43,900	43,900	49,661	49,661
Other	cwt.	28,805	39,530	68,335	35,191	34,321	69,512
Copper Sulphate	cwt.	1,921	613	2,534	6,052	3,613	9,665
Cyanides of Potassium and Sodium	cwt.	23,745	23,745	81,163	81,163
Sodium Carbonates, including Soda Ash	cwt.	53,607	22,399	76,006	30,574	26,611	57,185
Starch	lb.	24	400,062	400,086	7	20,345	20,352
Other Drugs and Chemicals	99,022	448,403	547,425
TOTAL, CLASS XIX.	1,108,756	1,868,666	2,977,422
CLASS XX.—MISCELLANEOUS.							
Arms, Ammunition and Explosives	27,286	285,120	312,406
Bags, Baskets, Boxes, etc.	25,743	145,138	170,881
Brushware	7,864	100,183	108,047
Dressings and Polishes	913	58,646	59,559
All other Articles N.E.I.	1,430,076	272,425	1,702,501
TOTAL, CLASS XX.	1,491,882	861,512	2,353,394
CLASS XXI.—GOLD AND SILVER; BRONZE SPECIE*	9,631	9,631
GRAND TOTAL, IMPORTS	29,563,829	33,588,054	63,151,883

* Interstate imports of specie are not recorded.

No. 28.—Value of Imports and Exports, Oversea and Interstate, at the Several Ports of Western Australia.

Ports, etc.	Year ended 30th June, 1950.		Nine months ended 31st March, 1951.					
	Value of Trade.		Value of Imports.			Value of Exports.*		
	Imports.	Exports.*	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A
Fremantle }	56,774,230	51,785,679	28,444,888	22,771,080	51,215,968	63,414,824	5,061,903	68,476,727
Perth }	591,657	1,002,175	259,153	340,119	599,272	627,549	126,048	753,597
Albany }	12,382	90,481	7,768	935	8,703	62,525	59	62,584
Broome }	274,110	4,471,396	150,465	150,465	3,846,169	433,140	4,279,309
Bunbury }	161,401	155	155	86,192	86,192
Busselton }	110,689	189,276	58,317	95	58,412	471,164	10	471,174
Carnarvon }	9,084	22,488	7,146	7,146	39,571	39,571
Derby }	376,890	181	119,660	198,547	318,207	16	16
Esperance }	395,036	2,988,750	431,778	431,778	4,270,605	77,032	4,347,637
Geraldton }	41,690	61,058	48,776	48,776	100,888	100,888
Onslow }	8,680	10,485	6,882	6,882
Point Samson }	11,171	55,400	12,352	19	12,371	149,649	149,649
Port Hedland }	166,466	596,957	16,644	2,222	18,866	678,961	1,054	680,015
Wyndham }	7,776,877	341,900	7,704,003	7,704,003	518,904	518,904
By Road and Rail }	1,955,141	85,389	1,713,047	1,713,047	144,595	144,595
By Air Freight }	(a)939,574	(a)2,620	(a)	857,832	(a)857,832	(a)	1,590	(a) 1,590
By Parcel Post }
Total	69,443,677	61,865,636	29,563,829	33,588,054	63,151,883	73,661,905	6,450,543	80,112,448

* Including Ships' Stores. † Mainly Cattle Overlanded from the Northern Territory.
 (a) Oversea Imports and Exports included under Fremantle-Perth.

V.—CUSTOMS AND EXCISE COLLECTIONS.

No. 29.—Gross Customs, Excise, and other Collections in Western Australia.

Stations.	Twelve months ended 30th June, 1950.				Nine Months ended 31st March, 1951.			
	Customs.	Excise.	Other.	Total.	Customs.	Excise.	Other.	Total.
	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A
Fremantle }	4,820,104	5,470,944	236,942	10,527,990	3,713,342	4,500,590	188,117	8,402,049
Perth }	121,855	59	71	121,985	114,294	36	114,330
Albany }	231	117	26	374	123	110	2	235
Bunbury }	11,119	11,119	7,269	7,269
Esperance }	97,800	400	17	98,217	99,332	159	6	99,497
Geraldton }	4,495	4,495	5,609	5,609
Onslow }	27,601	38	27,639	25,120	1	11	25,132
Total	5,083,205	5,471,520	237,094	10,791,819	3,965,089	4,500,860	188,172	8,654,121

VI.—LAND SETTLEMENT.

No. 30.—Land Settlement as on the 31st December, 1950.

Particulars.	Area.	Area.
	acres.	acres.
I.—ABSOLUTELY ALIENATED :—		
Area sold by public auction or other forms of direct sale or otherwise alienated up to 31st December, 1950	21,564,153
II.—IN PROCESS OF ALIENATION ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1950—		
Midland Railway Concessions in process of alienation	54,800	
Free Homestead Farms	429,975	
Conditional Purchase	7,066,461	
Selections under the Agricultural Lands Purchase Act	386,586	
Grazing Land	3,887,764	
Town and Suburban Lots	3,465	
Crown Grants of Reserves	1,506	
		11,830,557
Total Area alienated or in process of alienation on 31st December, 1950	33,394,710
III.—LEASES OR LICENSES IN FORCE ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1950 :—		
Issued by Lands Department :		
Pastoral Leases	195,736,029	
Special Leases	2,234,795	
Leases of Reserves	563,210	
Residential Lots	4,776	
Perpetual Leases	656,895	
Issued by Mines Department :		
Gold Mining Leases †	28,130	
Mineral Leases	42,882	
Miners' Homestead Leases	29,528	
Issued by Forests Department :		
Timber Permits (a)	3,578,060	
		202,874,305
IV.—AREA NEITHER ALIENATED, IN PROCESS OF ALIENATION, NOR LEASED.		388,319,785
Total Area of Western Australia	624,588,800

† Exclusive of 490 acres on "Private Property."

(a) Includes certain firewood permits amounting to 19,926 acres, and Permits for cutting Wandoo for tanning purposes, amounting to 139,384 acres, but excludes Permits and Licenses for cutting timber and firewood in Goldfields areas.

No. 31—Principal Crown Lands Transactions.—Area of Crown Lands for which Applications have been approved by the Lands Department from 1946.

Period.	Conditional Alienation.					Leases and Licenses.			
	Condi- tional Pur- chases.	Free Home- stead Farms.	Selec- tions, Land Purchase Act.	Town Lots.	Total.	Pastoral Leases and Licenses.	Special Leases.	Miscel- laneous Leases.	Total.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1946	324,466	4,672	7,983	662	337,783	1,353,458	72,583	22,466	1,448,507
1947	638,940	6,465	9,465	1,047	656,012	8,336,770	202,274	45,029	8,584,073
1948	862,594	9,849	8,650	1,027	882,120	6,561,950	249,922	227,293	7,039,165
1949	727,275	10,462	4,901	906	743,544	2,742,294	85,441	400,273	3,228,008
1950	1,071,711	10,535	64,147	1,274	1,147,668	3,501,169	141,284	214,411	3,856,864
1951— March Qr.	306,406	6,426	6,836	363	320,031	977,977	50,008	28,795	1,056,780

VII.—PRODUCTION.

No. 32.—Estimated Gross† Value of Western Australian Production, 1940–41 to 1949–50.

(Calculated principally on F.O.B. and Metropolitan Market Prices as to Primary Industries, and Value at door of Factory as to Manufactured Output.)

Year.	Agricultural.	Pastoral and Trapping.	Dairy, Poultry, and Bee Farming.	Forestry and Fisheries.	Mining and Quarrying.	Manufacturing Output.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1940–41	7,238,276	5,850,496	2,614,995	1,849,722	13,352,883	21,824,974
1941–42	10,647,270	6,116,767	2,979,965	1,714,646	12,421,298	23,952,820
1942–43	8,767,196	8,172,499	3,831,973	1,766,056	9,487,594	26,737,549
1943–44	9,010,510	9,190,361	3,985,399	1,748,205	6,400,676	29,208,588
1944–45	10,232,878	7,799,991	4,236,364	1,740,986	5,764,391	31,740,740
1945–46	13,118,562	8,114,158	4,354,613	1,897,831	5,898,368	34,022,839
1946–47	16,183,433	11,225,456	4,466,485	1,970,051	7,702,257	38,269,975
1947–48	32,158,320	19,715,106	4,894,796	2,392,049	8,863,798	45,625,796
1948–49	26,380,821	23,385,628	5,981,981	2,701,618	8,771,506	53,417,492
1949–50	*31,504,224	†30,882,124	*6,487,739	*2,966,550	9,853,665	63,978,037

† As "Gross" value includes Transport and Marketing Costs, Goods Consumed in the process of Production and Raw Material, etc., used, such values should not be aggregated in order to obtain the Total Value of Production.

* Revised.

† Includes an amount of £1,810,390 paid as an interim distribution of profits from Wool

Disposal Plans.

VIII.—GOLD MINING STATISTICS.

No. 33.—Gold Production of Western Australia from 1886, also amounts of Dividends paid.

Period.	Production of Gold.				Dividends Paid by Mining Companies.
	Quantity.			Value (a)	
	Exported Direct.	Received at Perth Mint.	Total.		
Prior to 1946	Fine ounces. 11,516,376	Fine ounces. 38,701,471	Fine ounces. 50,217,847	£ 276,296,675	£ 41,817,367
1946	6,090	610,874	616,964	6,640,069	713,926
1947	5,220	698,666	703,886	7,575,574	894,085
1948	4,654	660,332	664,986	7,156,909	836,939
1949	4,173	644,253	648,426	7,962,308	843,782
1950	4,160	606,173	610,333	9,466,270	1,196,088
From 1886 to 31st December, 1950	11,540,673	41,921,769	53,462,442	315,098,305	46,302,187
1951—					
January	380	50,806	51,186	792,959
February	485	50,664	51,149	792,390	14,051
March	165	48,013	48,178	746,354	68,750
Total three months ended March	1,030	149,483	150,513	2,331,703	82,801

(a) Australian Currency, including premium.

No. 34.—Monthly Gold Production of Western Australia, from 1946.

Month.	1946.	1947.	1948.	1949.	1950.	1951.
	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.
January	42,471	62,745	54,941	51,410	51,769	51,186
February	37,523	52,086	40,424	50,011	45,716	51,149
March	39,856	52,045	51,279	48,313	42,351	48,178
April	41,297	52,448	49,155	49,413	42,923
May	46,312	51,210	49,602	48,247	42,334
June	44,527	53,833	55,424	82,418	73,577
July	50,987	92,249	89,085	48,832	46,152
August	87,563	56,416	55,306	54,326	52,257
September	55,123	54,678	51,876	50,879	49,941
October	55,003	59,562	52,542	53,526	57,556
November	55,167	58,510	57,740	60,754	58,943
December	61,135	58,104	57,612	50,297	46,814
Total	616,964	703,886	664,986	648,426	610,333

IX.—LIVE STOCK AND WOOL-CLIP.

No. 35.—Number of Live Stock in Western Australia on the 31st March, 1946 to 1950, and Wool Clip during each Calendar Year.

Date.	Horses.	Cattle.			Sheep.	Pigs.	Year ended 31st December.	Wool Clip.	Wool Exported on Skins (Estimated).
		Dairy Cattle.	Beef Cattle.	Total.					
31st March	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.		lbs.	lbs.
1946	88,180	229,511	604,056	833,567	9,765,983	137,872	1945	79,242,000	4,951,000
1947	80,748	223,552	588,397	811,949	9,787,002	101,719	1946	80,000,000	10,091,000
1948	74,537	225,474	590,136	815,610	10,443,798	93,180	1947	89,000,000	5,883,000
1949	63,521	229,993	634,138	864,131	10,872,540	80,689	1948	93,000,000	5,660,000
1950	59,166	226,413	638,523	864,936	10,923,167	79,126	1949	91,000,000	6,139,000

X.—AGRICULTURE.

No. 36.—Cropping, Clearing, etc., 1945-46 to 1949-50.

Season.	Land Cropped, Cleared, etc.					Total.
	Under Crop. (a)	Under artificially sown pasture.	Newly cleared and prepared for next season.	In fallow.	Other, pre- viously cropped, now used for grazing, etc.	
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1945-46	2,875,048	1,921,310	228,133	1,790,444	7,045,618	13,860,553
1946-47	3,532,445	2,092,279	257,076	2,070,076	6,669,548	14,621,424
1947-48	3,936,118	2,459,112	334,442	2,243,715	6,249,941	15,223,328
1948-49	4,102,348	2,788,913	369,104	2,205,076	6,435,689	15,901,130
1949-50	4,292,730	3,027,706	466,171	2,291,611	6,477,254	16,555,472

(a) Excludes Meadow Hay.

No. 37.—Areas under various kinds of Crops in Western Australia, 1945-46 to 1949-50.

Season.	Principal Grain Crops.			Hay (all kinds).	Po- tatoes.	To- bacco.	To- matoes.	Or- chards.	Vine- yards.	Other Crops.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.							
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1945-46	1,835,780	396,285	66,386	281,410	9,781	296	1,448	21,730	9,583	314,744
1946-47	2,425,780	425,032	65,886	277,489	6,961	649	1,260	21,968	9,857	346,637
1947-48	2,760,446	494,589	63,136	229,172	6,955	559	1,202	22,063	10,025	428,149
1948-49	2,867,517	531,638	64,205	226,779	6,344	620	1,340	22,585	10,014	471,843
1949-50	2,894,020	584,603	67,965	216,320	6,895	661	1,328	22,744	9,676	577,369
1950-51†	3,200,000									

† Forecast.

No. 38.—Yield of Principal Crops, 1945-46 to 1949-50.

Season.	Principal Grain Crops.			Hay (all kinds).	Po- tatoes.	To- bacco.	To- matoes.	Apples. (a)	Dried Vine Fruits (Currants, Raisins, etc.).	Wine. (†)
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.							
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	cwt.	tons.	bushels.	tons.	gallons.
1945-46	20,929,000	4,080,948	665,949	287,476	47,672	2,659	7,221	1,547,658	3,343	725,881
1946-47	23,800,000	3,661,000	519,252	280,252	36,042	4,815	6,780	2,722,833	4,514	751,447
1947-48	34,500,000	5,410,533	744,522	267,901	40,608	3,912	6,406	1,626,493	3,518	687,665
1948-49	36,250,000	6,998,295	981,426	277,329	39,516	5,312	6,979	1,667,426	3,244	643,767
1949-50	38,500,000	7,267,965	967,815	272,052	39,459	5,632	7,152	1,116,886	1,974	528,242
1950-51†	49,900,000									

(a) Prior to 1947-48 figures represent Measured Crops plus deliveries of Unmeasured Crops.

† Estimated.

‡ Includes distillation Wine.

No. 39.—Average Yield per Acre of Principal Crops, 1945-46 to 1949-50.

Season.	Principal Grain Crops.			Hay (all kinds).	Potatoes.	Tobacco.	Tomatoes.	Apples.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.					
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	cwt.	tons.	bushels.
1945-46	11.40	10.30	10.03	1.02	4.87	9.0	5.0	125.4
1946-47	9.81	8.61	7.88	1.01	5.18	7.4	5.4	219.8
1947-48	12.50	10.94	11.70	1.17	5.84	7.0	5.3	134.3
1948-49	12.64	13.16	15.29	1.22	6.23	8.6	5.2	138.5
1949-50	13.30	12.43	14.24	1.26	5.72	8.5	5.4	93.3
1950-51†	15.59							

† Forecast.

(Exclusive of Mines.)

† Sawn from the Log

‡ Mainly produced by Agencies other than Industrial Establishments.

No. 41.—Summary of Factories, according to Industrial Classes, 1949-50.

Class of Industry.	Factories.	Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	Workers.	Salaries and Wages.	Output.	Net Production.
	No.	£	£	(a)	(b)	£	£
I. Treatment of Non-Metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products	100	188,234	248,510	1,267	504,617	1,775,888	812,829
II. Bricks, Pottery, Glass, etc.	41	215,501	277,207	1,079	441,663	1,188,746	745,217
III. Chemicals, Dyes, Explosives, Paints, Oils, and Grease	53	971,823	1,250,998	1,530	699,352	5,861,355	1,440,281
IV. Industrial Metals, Machines, Implements, and Conveyances	948	3,364,475	2,459,247	14,418	5,643,427	15,383,792	8,396,419
V. Precious Metals, Jewellery, Plate	49	77,943	24,386	225	79,268	191,259	134,842
VI. Textile and Textile Goods (Inclusive of Knitted goods)	30	181,287	143,042	756	247,588	1,958,043	685,682
VII. Skins and Leather (not Clothing or Footwear)	36	150,871	131,407	737	306,632	1,916,100	620,714
VIII. Clothing (Except Knitted)	409	849,181	324,545	4,897	1,258,228	3,591,734	1,917,280
IX. Food, Drink, and Tobacco	561	3,005,680	2,592,213	6,204	2,456,861	19,077,009	5,230,006
X. Wood-working and Basketware	318	539,644	916,721	4,241	1,538,775	5,002,033	2,455,016
XI. Furniture, Bedding, etc.	160	304,136	137,394	1,395	466,861	1,797,750	808,280
XII. Stationery, Paper, Printing, Bookbinding, etc.	127	618,885	499,768	2,187	849,716	2,861,114	1,658,162
XIII. Rubber	21	62,340	32,863	127	49,260	174,904	99,824
XIV. Musical Instruments	5	5,948	532	23	5,656	11,383	8,677
XV. Miscellaneous Products	46	93,942	39,006	427	121,696	277,174	180,257
XVI. Heat, Light, and Power	119	425,112	2,378,928	1,220	623,641	2,909,753	850,540
Total 1949-50	3,023	11,055,002	11,456,767	40,733	15,293,241	63,978,037	26,044,026
TOTAL, 1948-49	2,925	10,054,598	9,800,130	38,354	12,927,830	53,417,492	21,473,887
TOTAL, 1947-48	2,788	9,842,660	9,189,910	35,967	10,735,647	45,625,796	18,384,197
TOTAL, 1946-47	2,615	8,756,924	8,430,574	33,806	9,105,010	38,269,975	15,748,476
TOTAL, 1945-46	2,280	8,282,694	8,507,705	30,256	7,883,814	34,022,839	13,828,527
TOTAL, 1944-45	1,931	7,654,187	8,228,611	29,146	7,614,243	31,740,740	12,960,009

(a) Including Particulars of Working Proprietors. (b) Excluding Value of Working Proprietors' Services.

No. 42.—Employment in Age Groups, as at 15th June, 1950.

(Exclusive of Working Proprietors.)

Class of Industry.	Under 16 Years.	16 Years.	17 Years.	18 Years.	19 Years.	20 Years.	21 Years and over.	Total.
I. Treatment of Non-Metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
II. Bricks, Pottery, Glass, etc.	26	26	21	29	34	23	1,136	1,295
III. Chemicals, Dyes, Explosives, Paints, Oils, and Grease	11	16	19	17	22	21	1,005	1,111
IV. Industrial Metals, Machines, Implements, and Conveyances	17	17	31	25	32	24	1,332	1,478
V. Precious Metals, Jewellery, Plate	312	410	515	457	441	453	11,875	14,463
VI. Textile and Textile Goods (Inclusive of Knitted goods)	7	2	11	11	6	6	152	195
VII. Skins and Leather (not Clothing or Footwear)	28	40	35	54	33	28	547	765
VIII. Clothing (Except Knitted)	13	23	22	27	23	21	610	739
IX. Food, Drink, and Tobacco	285	348	318	330	313	273	2,675	4,542
X. Wood-working and Basketware	99	147	167	180	173	201	5,083	6,050
XI. Furniture, Bedding, etc.	84	86	80	95	62	59	3,773	4,239
XII. Stationery, Paper, Printing, Bookbinding, etc.	68	65	66	58	53	45	921	1,276
XIII. Rubber	102	119	101	91	83	64	1,615	2,175
XIV. Musical Instruments	2	1	6	4	1	5	102	121
XV. Miscellaneous Products	1	2	2	2	11	18
XVI. Heat, Light, and Power	18	16	21	19	17	23	284	398
	5	13	14	14	15	16	1,123	1,200
TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES	1,078	1,331	1,427	1,411	1,310	1,264	32,244	40,065

XII.—RETAIL PRICES AND HOUSE RENTS.

No. 43.—Average Retail Prices* of Food and Groceries—Metropolitan Area.

Commodity.	Unit.	1950.				1951.			
		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Quarter ended March.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Quarter ended March.
GROCERIES.									
Bread	2 lb.	Pence. 7-50	Pence. 7-50	Pence. 8-00	Pence. 7-67	Pence. 9-00	Pence. 9-00	Pence. 9-00	Pence. 9-00
Flour—Ordinary	"	6-00	6-00	6-00	6-00	6-10	6-00	6-00	6-03
Self-raising	"	10-45	10-50	10-50	10-48	12-75	12-80	12-85	12-80
Tea	lb.	33-00	33-00	33-00	33-00	46-00	46-00	46-00	46-00
Sugar	"	5-00	5-00	5-00	5-00	5-00	5-00	5-00	5-00
Rice †	"	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Sago (Seed Tapioca)	"	8-65	8-25	8-20	8-37	9-20	10-30	12-10	10-53
Jam—Plum	1½ lb. tin	18-40	18-30	18-30	18-33	18-25	18-60	21-05	19-30
Golden Syrup.....	2 lb. tin	10-06	10-00	10-06	10-04	10-05	10-05	10-00	10-03
Oats—Flaked	lb.	6-00	6-00	6-38	6-13	7-75	7-83	7-80	7-79
Raisins	"	16-60	17-00	18-25	17-28	23-20	26-75	27-89	25-95
Currants	"	13-50	13-50	14-30	13-77	17-22	17-30	20-44	18-32
Apricots—Dried	"	28-50	29-00	28-50	28-67	36-00	36-00	48-00	40-00
Peaches—Canned	30 oz. tin	21-29	21-25	21-13	21-22	23-33	23-75	23-50	23-53
Pears—Canned	"	22-50	22-50	22-50	22-50	25-00	25-00	25-50	25-17
Salmon (Best Pink) †	1 lb. tin	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Potatoes	7 lb.	17-50	17-55	17-50	17-52	20-00	20-05	20-35	20-13
Onions—Brown	lb.	3-70	3-78	3-70	3-73	4-00	4-45	4-45	4-30
Soap—Household	"	10-00	10-67	11-26	10-64	11-26	11-26	11-26	11-26
Kerosene	qrt.	8-13	8-97	9-05	8-72	9-16	9-25	9-32	9-24
DAIRY PRODUCE.									
Butter—Choicest	lb.	26-50	26-50	26-50	26-50	26-50	26-50	26-50	26-50
Cheese—Mild (loaf)	"	19-00	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Eggs—Standard, New Laid	doz.	41-00	41-00	42-00	41-33	45-00	48-00	51-00	48-00
Bacon, Rashers	lb.	37-50	37-50	37-80	37-60	43-40	43-40	45-20	44-00
Milk—Condensed Sweetened (Full Cream)	14 oz. tin	14-00	14-00	14-00	14-00	15-00	15-00	15-00	15-00
Milk—Fresh	qrt.	11-00	11-00	11-00	11-00	13-00	13-00	14-00	13-33

* As at the 15th of the month.

† Particulars not available.

No. 44.—Retail Price Index Numbers of Food and Groceries—Five Principal Towns.

(Base—Weighted Average of Six Capital Cities for 1923-27, = 1,000.)

Town.	1950.				1951.			
	Jan.	Feb.	March.	Quarter ended March.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	Quarter ended March.
Metropolitan Area	1,506	1,509	1,527	1,514	1,739	1,798	1,847	1,795
Kalgoorlie-Boulder	1,639	1,649	1,657	1,648	1,887	1,917	1,961	1,922
Northam	1,521	1,535	1,554	1,537	1,780	1,816	1,846	1,814
Bunbury	1,507	1,519	1,524	1,517	1,771	1,808	1,837	1,805
Geraldton	1,544	1,554	1,565	1,554	1,807	1,845	1,895	1,849
Weighted Average—5 Towns	1,516	1,521	1,537	1,525	1,753	1,808	1,855	1,806

No. 45.—Retail Price Index Numbers of Food and Groceries—32 Towns.

(Base—Weighted Average of Six Capital Cities for 1923-27, = 1,000.)

Note.—Conversion to the 1911 base may be effected by using the multiplier, 1.788.

Town.	1950.				1951.			
	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.
Metropolitan Area	1,514	1,559	1,608	1,707	1,795			
Albany	1,545	1,565	1,610	1,695	1,812			
Bridgetown	1,506	1,562	1,604	1,672	1,801			
Bunbury	1,517	1,561	1,630	1,733	1,805			
Busseton	1,517	1,565	1,610	1,690	1,807			
Collie	1,530	1,564	1,618	1,731	1,807			
Coolgardie	1,665	1,717	1,765	1,826	1,901			
Cue	1,703	1,723	1,747	1,789	1,930			
Dalwallinu	1,564	1,609	*1,630	1,641	1,813			
Esperance	1,641	1,720	1,734	1,762	1,918			
Geraldton	1,554	1,602	1,650	1,739	1,849			
Greenbushes	1,537	1,589	1,650	1,702	1,825			
Jarrohdale	1,514	1,567	1,608	1,688	1,797			
Kalgoorlie-Boulder	1,648	1,694	1,737	1,833	1,922			
Katanning	1,539	1,575	1,636	1,716	1,819			
Leonora-Gwalia	1,759	1,810	1,845	1,910	2,021			
Manjimup	1,536	1,558	1,612	1,694	1,805			
Meekatharra	1,609	1,748	1,804	1,852	1,967			
Merredin	1,544	1,596	1,630	1,695	1,833			
Moora	1,535	1,590	1,636	1,677	1,812			
Mullewa	1,558	1,613	1,655	1,729	1,849			
Narembeen	1,527	1,561	1,608	1,724	1,856			
Narrogin	1,549	1,609	1,654	1,723	1,849			
Norseman	1,691	1,737	1,768	1,815	1,927			
Northam	1,537	1,584	1,623	1,708	1,814			
Northampton	1,586	1,620	1,673	1,726	1,860			
Pemberton	1,538	1,579	1,621	1,698	1,817			
Southern Cross	1,632	1,688	1,714	1,770	1,891			
Three Springs	1,552	1,612	1,643	1,687	1,795			
Wiluna	1,746	1,791	1,823	1,867	2,050			
Wyalkatchem	1,538	1,606	1,623	1,724	1,836			
Varloop	1,523	1,577	1,596	1,675	1,778			

* Revised.

No. 46.—Housing (Rents of Four and Five-roomed Houses)—Five Principal Towns.

Variations in the Rents of four and five-roomed Houses in the five principal Western Australian towns are shown in the following table. The Index numbers are based on returns received from house agents for ordinary unfurnished dwellings, in a good state of repair with ordinary conveniences and occupying fair situations.

(Base—Weighted Average of Six Capital Cities for 1923-27 = 1,000.)

Period.	Western Australia.					
	Metropolitan Area.	Kalgoorlie-Boulder.	Northam.	Bunbury.	Geraldton.	Weighted Average for Five Towns.
1946	886	1,055	900	980	1,064	904
1947	887	1,080	900	981	1,064	907
1948	889	1,082	917	985	1,066	910
1949	895	1,095	955	1,005	1,080	917
1950	901	1,126	967	1,028	1,094	926
1951—First Quarter	1,051	1,143	1,179	1,166	1,303	1,068

No. 47.—Retail Price Index Numbers of "All Items" of Household Expenditure ("C" Series)—Five Principal Towns.

(Base—Weighted Average of Six Capital Cities for 1923-27, = 1,000.)

Period.	Western Australia.						Australia.
	Metropolitan Area.	Kalgoorlie-Boulder.	Northam.	Bunbury.	Geraldton.	Weighted Average—Five Towns.	Weighted Average—Six Capital Cities.
Year—1946	1,127	1,223	1,133	1,136	1,187	1,136	1,145
1947	1,161	1,265	1,171	1,173	1,221	1,170	1,188
1948	1,264	1,368	1,272	1,277	1,327	1,273	1,295
1949	1,410	1,502	1,420	1,424	1,475	1,418	1,415
1950	1,538	1,636	1,550	1,559	1,611	1,547	1,560
Quarters—1950:							
First	1,479	1,571	1,494	1,499	1,546	1,487	1,491
Second	1,517	1,616	1,532	1,532	1,590	1,526	1,534
Third	1,547	1,652	1,561	1,573	1,623	1,557	1,572
Fourth	1,607	1,706	1,614	1,633	1,686	1,617	1,643
Quarters—1951:							
First	1,712	1,782	1,732	1,719	1,809	1,720	1,713

XIII.—WAGES.

No. 48.—State Basic Wage.

Quarterly Rates are shown only where there has been an adjustment from the previous quarter or from the preceding Annual Declaration.

Date of Operation.	Metropolitan Area (a).		South-West Land Division.		Goldfields Areas and other parts of State.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
*1-7-26 (b)	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
*1-7-29 (b)	4 5 0	2 5 11	4 5 0	2 5 11	4 5 0	2 5 11
*1-7-30 (b)	4 7 0	2 7 0	4 7 0	2 7 0	4 5 0†	2 5 11‡
3-3-31 (b)	4 6 0	2 6 5	4 5 0	2 5 11	4 5 0	2 5 11
*1-7-31 (b)	3 18 0	2 2 2	3 17 0	2 1 8	3 17 0	2 1 8
18-8-31	3 18 0	2 2 2	3 17 0	2 1 8	3 17 0	2 1 8
5-11-31	3 18 0	2 2 2	3 16 0	2 1 0	3 17 0	2 1 8
29-2-32	3 13 6	1 19 8	3 14 6	2 0 3	3 17 0	2 1 8
3-5-32	3 12 0	1 18 11	3 13 6	1 19 8	3 17 0	2 1 8
*1-7-32	3 12 0	1 18 11	3 13 6	1 19 8	3 18 0	2 2 2
2-11-32	3 10 6	1 18 1	3 12 6	1 19 2	3 18 0	2 2 2
28-2-33	3 9 0	1 17 3	3 11 0	1 18 4	3 18 0	2 2 2
16-5-33	3 9 0	1 17 3	3 9 6	1 17 6	3 18 0	2 2 2
*1-7-33	3 8 0	1 16 9	3 9 6	1 17 6	3 17 6	2 1 10
3-8-33	3 9 3	1 17 5	3 9 6	1 17 6	3 17 6	2 1 10
1-5-34	3 9 3	1 17 5	3 9 6	1 17 6	3 19 3	2 2 10
*1-7-34	3 9 6	1 17 6	3 10 0	1 17 10	3 19 6	2 2 11
1-8-34	3 11 0	1 18 4	3 11 6	1 18 7	4 2 0	2 4 3
24-5-35	3 11 0	1 18 4	3 11 6	1 18 7	4 4 4	2 5 6
*1-7-35	3 10 6	1 18 1	3 11 2	1 18 5	4 4 4	2 5 6
4-11-35	3 10 6	1 18 1	3 11 2	1 18 5	4 5 7	2 6 3
*1-7-36	3 10 6	1 18 1	3 11 9	1 18 9	4 6 0	2 6 5
12-8-36	3 12 0	1 18 11	3 13 0	1 19 5	4 7 0	2 7 0
16-11-36	3 13 9	1 19 10	3 14 8	2 0 4	4 7 0	2 7 0
*1-7-37	3 13 9	1 19 10	3 14 8	2 0 4	4 7 0	2 7 0
26-7-37	3 14 11	2 0 5	3 15 10	2 0 11	4 7 0	2 7 0
*1-7-38	4 0 0	2 3 2	4 1 0	2 3 9	4 13 3	2 10 4
29-7-38	4 1 1	2 3 9	4 1 0	2 3 9	4 15 2	2 11 5
2-11-38	4 1 1	2 3 9	4 2 2	2 4 4	4 15 2	2 11 5
24-4-39	4 2 2	2 4 4	4 2 2	2 4 4	4 16 4	2 12 0
*1-7-39	4 2 2	2 4 4	4 3 1	2 4 10	4 16 4	2 12 0
*1-7-40	4 2 8	2 4 8	4 3 3	2 4 11	4 16 3	2 12 0
31-7-40	4 5 4	2 6 1	4 5 6	2 6 2	4 18 8	2 13 3
26-10-40	4 5 4	2 6 1	4 6 6	2 6 9	5 0 3	2 14 2
26-2-41	4 6 11	2 6 11	4 7 8	2 7 4	5 2 1	2 15 2
28-4-41	4 8 0	2 7 6	4 9 3	2 8 2	5 3 6	2 15 11
*1-7-41	4 8 0	2 7 6	4 9 3	2 8 2	5 3 6	2 15 11
28-7-41	} 4 10 5	2 8 10	4 10 10	2 9 1	5 5 7	2 17 0
*1-7-42						
8-8-42 (c)	4 14 11	2 11 3	4 14 10	2 11 3	5 5 7	2 17 0
Nov., 1942 (d)	4 17 9	2 12 9	4 17 1	2 12 5	5 5 7	2 17 0
1-3-43	4 18 9	2 13 4	4 18 1	2 13 0	5 5 7	2 17 0
*1-7-43	4 19 1	2 13 6	4 18 1	2 13 0	5 5 9	2 17 1
Aug., 1943 (d)	5 1 1	2 14 7	5 0 3	2 14 2	5 7 10	2 18 3
28-2-44	4 19 8	2 13 10	4 19 2	2 13 7	5 6 7	2 17 7
*1-7-44	4 19 11	2 13 11	4 19 8	2 13 10	5 7 1	2 17 10
26-10-44 (e)	4 19 11	2 13 11	5 0 9	2 14 5	5 7 1	2 17 10
28-2-45 (e)	4 19 11	2 13 11	4 19 7	2 13 9	5 7 1	2 17 10
*1-7-45	5 0 1	2 14 1	4 19 7	2 13 9	5 7 5	2 18 0
13-5-46 (e)	5 1 1	2 14 7	4 19 7	2 13 9	5 9 0	2 18 10
*1-7-46	5 1 1	2 14 7	5 0 6	2 14 3	5 9 0	2 18 10
22-7-46 (e)	5 2 1	2 15 1	5 1 6	2 14 10	5 9 0	2 18 10
4-2-47 (e)	5 2 1	2 15 1	5 1 6	2 14 10	5 10 4	2 19 7
26-2-47 (f)	5 7 1	2 17 10	5 6 6	2 17 6	5 15 4	3 2 3
*1-7-47	5 7 10	2 18 3	5 7 3	2 17 11	5 16 0	3 2 8
23-7-47	5 9 3	2 19 0	5 8 9	2 18 9	5 17 6	3 3 5
30-10-47	5 10 9	2 19 10	5 10 6	2 19 8	5 19 0	3 4 3
2-2-48	5 12 9	3 0 11	5 12 6	3 0 9	6 1 4	3 5 6
26-4-48 and *1-7-48	5 15 9	3 2 6	5 15 2	3 2 2	6 4 9	3 7 4
26-7-48	5 17 5	3 3 5	5 17 1	3 3 3	6 5 10	3 7 11
1-11-48	6 1 7	3 5 8	6 1 3	3 5 6	6 9 6	3 9 11
9-2-49	6 4 9	3 7 4	6 4 4	3 7 2	6 12 9	3 11 8
2-5-49 and *1-7-49	6 7 1	3 8 8	6 6 9	3 8 5	6 15 1	3 12 11
21-7-49	6 13 2	3 11 11	6 12 11	3 11 9	7 0 5	3 15 10
24-10-49	6 15 11	3 13 5	6 15 4	3 13 1	7 2 11	3 17 2
31-1-50	6 18 1	3 14 7	6 17 4	3 14 2	7 4 8	3 18 1
1-5-50	7 0 0	3 15 7	6 19 9	3 15 6	7 7 3	3 19 6
31-7-50	7 3 6	3 17 6	7 3 3	3 17 4	7 11 8	4 1 10
23-10-50	7 6 6	3 19 1	7 6 7	3 19 2	7 14 8	4 3 6
*18-12-50	8 6 6	4 14 1	8 6 7	4 14 2	8 14 8	4 18 6
29-1-51	8 12 11	4 17 9	8 12 11	4 17 9	9 0 5	5 1 9
30-4-51	9 4 3	5 4 1	9 4 1	5 4 1	9 8 5	5 6 3
23-7-51	9 16 8	5 11 1	9 15 9	5 10 8	10 1 6	5 13 8

* Annual Declaration.

† Relates to certain specified Goldfields Districts only.

(a) Defined as the

area comprised within a radius of 15 miles from G.P.O., Perth.

(b) Rates for divisions shown not specifically

declared by Court. (See *letterpress in June, 1942, issue.*)

(c) Rates declared in Basic Wage Adjustment and

Order No. 1 issued under the authority of National Security (Economic Organisation) Regulations.

(d) First pay period in month.

(e) First pay period after date hereof.

(f) Interim Basic Wage declaration authorised

under amendment to National Security (Economic Organisation) Regulations, operative First pay period after date

thereof.

No. 49.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements, in certain Industries and Occupations as at 31st March, 1951.

Rates relate to the Metropolitan Area except where otherwise stated, and are shown to the nearest farthing.

Industry and Occupation.	Wages.	Industry and Occupation.	Wages.
CLASS I.—TREATMENT OF METALLIFEROUS MINE QUARRY PRODUCTS—	£ s. d.	CLASS III.—CHEMICALS, DYES, EXPLOSIVES, PAINTS, OILS, GREASE—	£ s. d.
Asbestos-Cement Goods:	Per week.	Oil Handling:	Per week.
No. 1 Machineman	9 15 5	Weekly hands	9 18 11
No. 2 Machineman	9 7 11	Soap and Candle Factories:	
Moulder	9 6 11	Glycerine Hand	9 15 5
General Hands	9 8 11	Leading Candlemaker	9 13 11
Cement Pipe Making:	9 4 11	Boxmaker	9 5 11
Pipe Moulder	9 17 8	Soap Crutcher	9 11 5
Stone Crusher	10 2 8	Storeman Packer, Soda Crystal Maker	9 9 11
Labourer	9 13 2	Tallow Man, and Soap Cutter	9 8
Cement Works:	9 6 2	Box-wire	9 0 11
Miller (Raw Mill)	9 17 11	Assistants to Soapmaker and Candle-	
Assistant (Raw Mill)	9 8 11	maker	9 8 5
Burner	10 7 11	Wrappers and Packers (Adult Females)	5 2 3
Dredge Hand	10 3 11	Superphosphate Works:	
General Hands	9 6 11	Phosphate Rock Section	9 14 5
Fibrous Plaster, Plaster, and Cement Goods:	9 15 11	Sulphur Section	10 0 5
Bench Hand	10 17 11	Superphosphate Section	10 3 5
Fixer	10 16 5	Sulphuric Acid Chamber Section	10 9 5
Cement Worker	9 8 11	Superphosphate Section	9 17 5
Plaster Caster	9 17 11	Sulphuric Acid Chamber Section	10 9 5
Lime works:		Acid and Chemical Manufacturing Plant	
Loaders and Kiln Hands	9 1 11	Section	10 3 5
Quarrymen	9 4 11	Mixed Manures Plant Section	9 14 5
Horse Drivers	9 8 5	General Section	10 9 5
Motor Drivers	9 17 11		9 14 5
Day-firers, Lime Baggers, and	10 7 11		to
Crushers	9 7 11		10 6 5
Kiln Repairers	9 15 5		
Powder Monkey	9 10 11		
Night Firer	Per Shift		
	2 3 5		
CLASS II.—BRICKS, POTTERY, GLASS, ETC.—	Per week.	CLASS IV.—INDUSTRIAL METALS, MACHINES, IMPLEMENTS AND CONVEYANCES—	
Brickworks (House Bricks):		State Engineering Works, Leighton:	
Burner	9 11 11	Boiler-maker Fitters, Turners, Moul-	11 4 11
Clayhole Hands	9 19 11	ders,	11 18 11
Machine Driver	9 11 11	Pattern-makers	11 6 5
Taker-off and Assistant Setter	9 15 11	Blacksmiths	(a) 11 1 11
Setter	9 11 11	Carpenters, Plumbers	10 19 5
Moulder and Presser (Fancy Bricks)	10 2 11	Painters	8 12 11
Brickworks (Fire-bricks):		Agricultural Implement Making:	
Clayhole Hand	9 11 11	Assemblers	9 8 11
Off Bearers	9 19 11	Agricultural Implement and/or	9 14 11
Schtlers	9 11 11	Comb Fitters	10 0 11
Burners	9 11 11	Serviceman	10 3 11
Setters	9 19 11	Coachbuilding, etc.	10 0 11
Mill-mixer	10 2 11	Coachsmith, General Smith, Farrier,	
Wheeler-out	9 11 11	Wheelwright Smith, Spring Maker	
Wheeler for setting	9 16 5	and/or Fitters on Road Vehicles,	
Glass:		Bodymaker, Panel Beater	10 18 11
Glass Beveilling and Silvering	10 14 5	Welders	9 7 11
Leadlight Glazing	10 14 5	Wheelwright, Wheelmaker, Painter,	10 18 11
Pottery Workers (Pipe and Tile):		Spray Painter, Trimmer, Grainer, Seat	
Burner	10 0 5	maker, Signwriter	10 14 5
Moulder, Presser, Trap Maker	9 19 5	Machinists (all kinds)	10 8 5
Junction Sticker	9 12 5	Sectional Trimmer	10 0 11
Setters	9 11 11	Floorman, Metal Panel Fixer	9 16 5
Others	9 0 5	Assembler, Vyceman	9 10 5
	9 16 11	Storeman	9 8 11
		All others	8 12 11
			to
			9 7 5
		Engineering Foundries, etc. (Metropolitan)—	
		Blacksmith, Fitter, Turner, etc.	11 4 11
		Patternmaker	11 17 11
		Toolmaker	11 17 11

(a) Includes Tool allowance 3s. 0d.

No. 49.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements, in certain Industries and Occupations as at 31st March, 1951—continued.

Industry and Occupation.	Wages.	Industry and Occupation.	Wages.
CLASS IV.—INDUSTRIAL METALS, MACHINES, IMPLEMENTS AND CONVEYANCES—continued.	£ s. d.	CLASS IV.—INDUSTRIAL METALS, MACHINES, IMPLEMENTS AND CONVEYANCES—continued.	£ s. d.
Engineering Foundries, etc. (Metropolitan)—continued.	Per week.		Per week.
Motor Mechanic	11 3 5	Sheet Metal Working :	
Furnace-man	(d) 10 1 11	Bench Hands (First Class)	10 18 11
	to	Bench Hands (Second Class)	10 3 11
	(b) 10 4 11	Canister-makers	9 11 11
Tradesman's Assistant	(d) 9 15 11	Gas Meter-makers	10 2 11
		Stove and Range Fitters and Assemblers	10 2 5
Boiler-maker	(b) 11 4 11	Shipbuilding, etc.:	
	to	Shore Shipwrights (Permanent Em-	
Moulder	(b) 11 10 11	ployees)	11 16 6
	(b) 9 18 11	Shipwrights and Boat Builders (Govern-	Per hour.
	to	ment)	(c) 0 6 3
Electrical Fitter and/or Armature Winder	(b) 11 4 11	Wire-working :	Per week.
Electrical Wireman	(b) 11 4 11	Galvaniser	9 12 11
Refrigeration Fitter	(e) 10 12 5	Loom Weaver	9 4 11
Engineering (Goldfields): (Excluding Min-	(b) 11 4 11	Barbed Wire-maker	9 3 5
ing)		Annealer	9 2 11
Motor Mechanic	11 1 11	Labourer	8 12 11
Coppersmith, Blacksmith and Planer	11 6 5	CLASS V.—PRECIOUS METALS, JEWELLERY, PLATE—	
Pattern-maker	12 0 5	Jewellers and Allied Trades:	
Engineering (Railways):	Per day.	Watch-makers and Clock-makers	11 2 11
Foreman	2 7 6	Jewellers, Engravers, Setters	11 0 5
Fitter-in-Charge, Running Shed	2 8 7	Females (Adult)	5 16 9
Fitter-in-Charge, Power House	2 7 5	CLASS VI.—TEXTILES AND TEXTILE	
Pattern-maker	2 6 7	GOODS (NOT DRESS)—	
Blacksmith, Coppersmith	2 4 1	Bag, Sack and Textile Workers:	
Fitter, Brass-finisher, Turner	2 3 9	Floor Hands (Female)	4 19 9
	1 19 9	Machinist and Hand Cutters (Females)	5 2 9
Furnaceman	to	Factory Hands (Males)	9 2 11
	2 2 10	Knitting :	
Slotter, Planer, Shaper, Borer, etc.	2 3 9	Males—	
Boilermaker, Moulder	to	Mechanics	10 2 11
	2 9 2	Machine Cutters	9 14 11
Engineering (Sawmills)—South-West Land		Hand Cutters	9 11 11
Division (a):	Per week.		8 15 11
Pattern-maker	11 12 11	Others	to
Oxy-acetylene Operator	11 3 5	Females	9 6 11
Fitter, Turner, etc.	10 18 11		6 18 11
	9 14 11	CLASS VII.—SKINS AND LEATHER	
Driller	to	(NOT CLOTHING OR FOOTWEAR)—	
	10 18 11	Rope and Cordage:	
Electrical Wireman	10 8 5	Rope-layer	9 14 11
Tradesman's Assistant	9 7 5	Rope-splicer	9 9 11
Engineering (Others)—South-West Land			8 17 11
Division (a):		Others	to
Fitter Turner, Electrical Fitter	10 18 11		9 5 11
Motor Mechanic	10 17 5	Females	4 19 9
Tradesman's Assistant	9 7 5		to
General Labourer	8 12 11		5 3 9
Aircraft Workers (Federal Award) (g):		Saddlery and Leather Working:	10 2 11
Repair, Maintenance and Servicing		Journeyman	to
Section:			10 8 11
Ground Engineers and/or Aircraft		Journeywoman	6 2 9
Mechanics—		Females	5 9 9
Holding prescribed Certificates	10 18 0	Tanneries (Federal Award):	
	to	Bark Bagger	(f) 10 5 6
	12 1 0	Currier	(f) 11 9 6
Holding no Certificate	10 18 0	Flesher (Hand)	(f) 11 2 6
	to	Lime Jobber	(f) 10 11 6
Patternmaker	10 19 6		(f) 10 10 6
Toolmaker	11 12 6	Machinist (Splitting)	to
	11 13 6		(f) 11 7 6
Machinist, Metal	10 3 0	Roller	(f) 10 14 6
	to	Striker and Setter-out	(f) 10 12 0
	10 19 6	Shedman who applies Dressing to	
Machinist, Wood	9 18 0	Leather (Wet)	(f) 10 9 6
	to	Unhairer, Scudder, etc.	(f) 10 13 6
	10 18 0		(f) 10 8 6
Sheet Metal Worker	10 8 0	Table Hands	to
	to		(f) 10 14 6
Miscellaneous Section:	10 19 6	Wool-scouring :	
Carpenter and Joiner (including tool		Wool-scourer (in Charge of Machine)	10 5 5
allowance)	11 2 0	All other Adults	9 17 11
Electrical Fitter	10 18 0	CLASS VIII.—CLOTHING—	
Painter	10 12 6	Boots and Shoes:	
Plumber	10 18 0	Journeymen	9 15 8
Tradesman's Assistant	9 9 0	Journeywomen	5 10 3
Tractor Driver	9 15 0	Repairer	10 2 11
Service Driver	9 6 0		
Watchman	9 6 6		
Electrical Mechanic	10 18 0		

(a) Outside 25-mile radius from G.P.O. (b) Includes Special loading of 6/- per week. (c) Includes Special loading of 1½d. per hour. (d) Includes Special loading of 3/- per week. (e) Includes Special loading of 4/- per week. (f) Includes War loading of 5/- and industry loading of 6/- per week. (g) Inclusive of loadings.

No. 49.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Industries and Occupations as at 31st March, 1951—continued.

Industry and Occupation.	Wages.	Industry and Occupation.	Wages.
CLASS VIII.—CLOTHING—continued.		CLASS IX.—FOOD, DRINK, AND TO-BACCO—continued.	
Dressmaking (Order) (Federal Award):	£ s. d.	Baking—continued.	£ s. d.
Males:	Per week.	Bread-carter	9 12 11
Cutters	11 8 0	Bread-carter (in charge motor vehicle)	9 17 11
Tailors	10 14 0	Biscuits and Cakes	
Machinists	10 7 0	Mixers	9 15 11
Pressers-off	10 7 0	Ovensmen	9 13 11
Others	8 8 0	Brakesmen	9 12 11
Females:		General Factory Hands	9 4 11
Cutters	10 19 0		4 19 6
Pressers (Iron over 8 lb.)	9 6 0	Female Employees (Adults)	to
	10 7 0		5 15 3
	6 6 0		
Journeywomen	7 16 0	Breweries (including Bottling):	
Dressmaking (Ready-made):		Motor Lorry Driver (without Attendant)	10 7 11
Males:		Cylinder Men	10 2 11
Cutters	10 18 0	Leading Hands	10 7 11
Tailors	10 14 0	Assistant Topmen, Cask Pitchers	10 0 11
Machinist	10 7 0	Bottle-washers, Cask-washers, Packers,	
Pressers-off	10 7 0	Sorters, Corkers, Wipers, Labourers,	
Others	8 8 0	etc.	9 17 11
Females:		Engine-Driver	11 5 6
Cutters	10 19 0	Firemen	10 12 6
Pressers (Iron over 8 lb.)	10 18 0	Coopers	11 16 6
	10 7 0	Chaffcutting and Carting (a):	
	6 6 0	Cook	9 7 5
Journeywomen	7 16 0	Bag-sewer	9 9 11
Underclothing and Whitework		Engine-drivers	10 7 5
Males:		Teamster	11 11 5
Cutters	10 18 0	Bale Lumper	9 9 11
Others	8 8 0	Others	8 19 11
Females:		(From these rates £3 1s. 1d. is deducted per week for keep.)	
Pressers (Iron Over 8 lb.)	10 12 0	Cigar, Cigarette and Tobacco Making:	
Journeywomen	10 7 0	Males (Adult)	9 3 11
	6 6 0	Females (Adult)	5 7 9
Shirtmaking:	7 16 0	Flour Mills (Federal Award):	
Males:		Foreman Miller	12 12 0
Cutters	10 18 0		11 7 0
Others	8 8 0	Shift Millers or Rollerwoman	12 12 0
Females:		Fitters and Millwrights	11 14 0
Cutters	10 12 0	General Repairers	11 2 0
Others	6 6 0	Wheat Samplers	10 12 0
Tailoring: Men's (Order)	7 16 0	Smuttermen and Topmen	10 15 0
Males:		Packermen	10 12 0
Cutters	12 3 0	Storehand	9 7 0
Trimmer, Fitter-up, Machinist	10 7 0		10 11 0
Others	8 8 0	Engine-drivers	to
Females:			11 2 6
Cutters	10 19 0	Firemen	10 11 0
Machinists	12 3 0	Other Adults	9 15 0
	10 14 0	Fruit and Produce Markets:	
Journeywomen	6 6 0	Head Storeman	10 7 11
Clothing, Men's (Ready-made):	8 17 0	Weekly Workers	10 0 5
Males:		Ham and Bacon Curing:	
Cutters	10 18 0	Leading Man	10 17 11
Tailors	10 14 0	Scalders	10 8 11
Trimmers, Fitters-up, Machinist	10 7 0		10 8 11
Pressers	10 7 0	Assistants in Cellar	to
Seamstressers, Brushers, Folders	9 8 0		10 17 11
Females:		Trimmers	9 16 5
Cutters	10 18 0		to
Trimmers, Fitters-up	10 7 0		10 8 11
Machinists	10 14 0	Ice-making and Cold Storage:	
Seam Pressers	10 7 0	Engine Driver	10 11 5
	6 6 0		to
Journeywomen	8 12 0		10 18 11
CLASS IX.—FOOD, DRINK, AND TO-BACCO—			9 13 11
Aerated Waters and Cordial Factories:			to
Motor Driver—Salesman	9 18 11		9 18 11
Bottler in Charge of Generator	9 16 11	Milk Processing:	
Bottler	8 7 11	Tester and Grader	10 3 11
Packer, Wiper, Tally Clerk	9 1 5	Pasteuriser	9 14 11
Others	8 12 11	Man in Charge Bottling Machine	9 7 11
	9 2 11	All other Adults	9 6 3
Baking:		Females (General Hands)	5 14 5
Foreman-in-charge of 4 or more workers	11 15 5	Pastry Cooking:	
Foreman-in-charge of less than 4 workers	11 12 11	Pastry-cook (Single hand)	10 13 11
Single Hand Baker, Doughmaker	11 10 5	Pastry-cook	10 7 5
Baker doing Oven work, Board Hand		Female Pastry-cook	6 2 0
		Sugar Refinery:	
Jobber	Per hour.	Raw Sugar:	
	0 6 1½	Leading hand	10 3 5
		Unsticking, cutting-in	9 15 5
		Melting House:	
		Washing fugals	10 0 11

(a) Excluding area within 14-mile radius from G.P.O.

No. 49.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Industries and Occupations as at 31st March, 1951—continued.

Industry and Occupation.	Wages.	Industry and Occupation.	Wages.
CLASS IX.—FOOD, DRINK, AND TOBACCO—continued.	£ s. d.	CLASS X.—WOOD-WORKING AND BASKETWARE—continued.	£ s. d.
Pan Floor:	Per week.	Timber Yards— <i>contd.</i>	Per week.
Refined fuguas	10 15 5	Jointer	9 6 5
Boil-out fuguas	9 19 5	to	9 15 11
Cleaner Attendants	9 17 11	Undertaking:	
Refined Sugar:		Coffin-maker	10 10 5
Leading hand (Store Room)	10 1 5	Groom, Trimmer	9 3 5
Stackers and Truckers (Store Room)	9 10 11		
Drier and Grader	10 0 11		
Packages:		CLASS XI.—FURNITURE, BEDDING, ETC.—	
Leading hand	10 1 5	Cabinet-maker, Chair-maker	(a) 10 15 11
Men Washing and Drying	9 6 11	Wood-carver, Wood-turner, Shaper and Upholsterer, French Polisher	10 14 5
Unspecified Workers	9 6 11	Wire Mattress-maker, Wicker-worker and Mattress-maker	10 6 11
		Picture Frame-maker	9 17 11
CLASS X.—WOOD-WORKING AND BASKETWARE—		Labourer	8 12 11
Box and Case-making:	9 10 5		to
Sawyer	10 4 5		8 18 5
Machinist	9 7 11		
Case-maker	9 7 11	CLASS XII.—PAPER, STATIONERY, PRINTING, BOOK-BINDING, ETC.—	
Labourer	8 12 11	Cardboard Box and Carton-making—	
Timber Workers (Sawmills):		State Award:	
Blacksmith (Bush), or Farrier	10 7 11	Guillotine Cutters, Carton Setters	9 13 5
Carpenter (Bush)	9 17 11	Storemen or Packers	8 17 11
Carpenters and Joiners	10 12 11	Males (Adults)	8 16 11
	8 12 11	Females (Adults)	5 2 7
Dockerman	to	Printing (Jobbing)—Federal Award:	
Engine-drivers:	10 12 9	Machine Compositor	11 14 6
Locomotive	11 1 3	Proof Reader and Reviser	11 7 6
to	9 18 9	Hand Compositor, Slugger, Bulk Hand, Stone Hand, Electrotypist, Stereotypist, Letterpress Machinist, Rotary Machinist, Hand Indexer, Book-binder, Marbler, Blocker, Finisher, Paper Ruler, Guillotine Machine Operator, Man in Charge Envelope-making Machine	
Stationary	to	Rotary Machinist's Assistant	10 6 0
Faller	10 3 9	Envelope Angle Cutter	10 11 0
Fireman:	10 4 5	Envelope Cutter or Die Cutter, Cutter of Playing Cards, Surface Coater	9 19 0
Locomotive	9 16 9	Calenderer, Water-proofer	9 15 6
Stationary	9 13 9	Brusher, Plate Roller	9 15 6
	to	Storeman, Packer, or Despatcher	9 15 6
Horse-driver	9 12 11	Printing (Jobbing)—State Award:	
Labourer	8 12 11	Machine Operator (Linotype or Monotype)	11 19 11
Puller-out	8 12 11	Hand Compositor, Stereotypist, Book-binder and Finisher, Paper Ruler, Calico Bag Printer, Lithographer, Letterpress Machinist, Paper Bag Machinist, Envelope Cutter and Guillotine Cutter	
Saw-doctor	10 4 5	Females—Adult	5 5 0
Machinist	11 7 11		
to	9 0 11	Printing (Newspaper):	
Motor Lorry Driver	10 10 5	Linotype Operators:	
Sawyer	9 12 5	Night	14 5 0
	to	Day	13 10 0
Spotters	10 4 5		
Swampers	9 2 11	Linotype Mechanics:	
	to	Night	12 0 4
Stacker	9 14 11	Day	13 8 6
Tractor Driver (Log Hauling)	8 12 11		11 5 4
	to		to
Timber yards:	9 6 5		12 13 6
Buzzer	10 10 5	Flat-bed Machinists:	
	9 12 5	Night	13 2 2
Motor Lorry Driver	to	Day	12 7 2
Wood-turner	10 2 11		
Moulding Machinist	10 8 5	General Hands	
	9 11 5	Night	11 17 4
	to	Day	10 2 4
Sawyer	10 10 5		
Shaper	9 19 11	CLASS XVI.—HEAT, LIGHT AND POWER—	
	10 12 11	Electric Light Works:	
Tenoner	10 10 5	Turbine-driver	11 6 5
		Auxiliary Plant Attendant	10 10 5
		Fireman	10 6 11
		Greaser	9 15 11
		Boiler-cleaner	9 14 11
		Engine or Plant Cleaner	9 5 5

(a) Including Tool Allowance.

No. 49.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Industries and Occupations as at 31st March, 1951—continued.

Industry and Occupation.	Wages.	Industry and Occupation.	Wages.
CLASS XVI.—HEAT, LIGHT AND POWER—continued.	£ s. d.	MISCELLANEOUS—continued.	£ s. d.
Gas Works:	Per week.	Boarding and/or Lodging House (without Board)—continued.	Per week.
Retort Operator-in-Charge	11 1 11	Waitress	5 0 3
Ganger-in-Charge, Main Gang	10 18 11	Housemaid, Pantrymaid	5 3 3
Gas meter Maker or Repairer	10 16 11		5 0 3
	to		
	11 4 11	Brushmaking:	
Retort Operator (Shift work)	10 5 11	(Male):	
Carburetted Water Gas Plant Operator	10 5 11	Hair Pan Hands, Brush Pan Hands,	
Maintenance Man	10 3 11	Bottle Brush Makers, Finishers, Millet	
Service Layer	10 3 11	Broom Makers, Ducoers, Lacquerers ...	9 18 11
Main Layer or Caulker	10 3 11	All Others	8 12 11
Stove Assemblers	9 14 11	(Female):	
Assistants to—Service Layer	9 10 11	Bench Drawers, Filling Machine Opera-	
Men Emptying or filling Purifier	9 15 11	tors, Sprayers	5 13 9
Labourers	8 12 11	All Others	5 12 5
		Building Trades:	
		Carpenters, Plumbers	12 3 11
		Bricklayer, Plasterer	12 2 5
		Painters, Signwriters	12 1 5
		Stonemason	12 0 11
			9 18 0
		Labourer	10 15 10
		Butchering and Slaughtering:	
		Shop Section:	
		Order Cart Hand	9 5 11
			to
		General Butcher	10 8 11
		Cutting Cart Hand	10 8 11
			10 8 11
		Smallgoodsman	to
			10 13 11
		First Shopman	10 13 11
		Beef Carters' Section:	
		Motors, under 25 cwt.	9 15 11
		Motors, 25 cwt. and over	9 18 11
			to
			10 7 11
		Abattoirs Section:	
		Labourers	9 0 11
		Slaughterman's Labourer	9 8 11
		Tallowman	9 8 11
		Slaughterman	10 17 11
		Export Slaughtermen:	
		Pieceworkers (b)	Per 100
			(Chain
			System)
		Group "A," Catching, Sticking Shackling	0 6 0
		Group "B," Skinning, etc.	3 4 10
		Composite Rate (Robbs Jetty)	3 10 10
			Per week.
			9 0 11
			to
		Attendants on Slaughterman	9 17 11
		Carters and Drivers:	
		Horse Driver (1 horse)	9 8 5
		Horse Driver (2 horses)	9 15 11
		Horse Driver (3 horses)	9 17 11
		Horse Driver (over 3 horses), 6d. per day	
		extra per horse.	
		Stableman	9 4 11
		Motor Wagon Driver:	
		25cwt. or less	9 15 11
		Over 25cwt. and up to 3 tons	9 18 11
			10 2 11
		Over 3 tons	to
			9 7 11
		Loaders, Yardmen, Horse and Motor	
		Drivers' Assistants	9 2 11
		Passenger Carrying:	
		Omnibus Drivers †—	
		Ordinary Vehicles	10 5 11
			to
			10 9 11
		Articulated Vehicles	11 2 5
		Taxi-car Drivers	9 4 5
		Washers (night)	9 10 5
		Fare Collectors (Female)	5 13 9
		Cemetery Employees:	
		Grave Digger	9 11 8
		Gardener's Labourer	9 7 11
		Labourer	9 0 5

(a) Subject to deduction for Board and Lodging, Adults £1 5s., Youths £1 per week.

(b) The total daily earnings of Piece Workers shall be increased by 14s. 2d. † If collecting fares 1/6 per day extra.

No. 49.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Court of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Industries and Occupations as at 31st March, 1951—continued.

Industry and Occupation.	Wages.	Industry and Occupation.	Wages.
MISCELLANEOUS—continued.		MISCELLANEOUS—continued	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Cleaning, etc. (Public Buildings):	Per week.	Stationary Steam (3rd Class Certificate)	Per week.
Caretaker (Male)	10 10 5		9 18 11
Cleaner (Male)	9 8 11	Steam Crane Drivers	10 8 11
Cleaner (Female), Weekly Hand	5 17 3	Main Roads Board:	
Lift Attendant (Male)	6 0 3	Steam Roller Drivers	10 7 11
Window Cleaner (Male)	9 3 5	Internal Combustion Roller Drivers:	
	9 12 11	10 tons and over	10 7 11
		Under 10 tons	10 2 11
		Motor Graders (Under 40 h.p.)	10 7 11
		Motor Graders (Over 40 h.p.)	10 17 11
Clerical:			
Wholesale and Retail Houses:		Hairdressing:	
Clerk (Senior)	11 2 11	Hairdresser (Male)	10 2 11
Clerk (Male)	9 5 5	Hairdresser (Female)	6 12 9
Clerk (Female)	10 9 11		
	6 3 9		
	6 7 9		
Diving (Marine), and Tending:	Per shift.		
Divers (when Diving)	3 9 7	Hospital Employees (General Hospitals) (a):	
Divers (when not Diving)	Per week.	Males:	
Tenders (when Tending)....	9 19 11	Orderlies	8 17 11
Tenders (when not Tending)	Per shift.		to
	2 5 1	Cooks—First	9 11 3
	Per week.	Cooks—Other	10 7 11
	9 10 11		9 17 11
		Kitchenman	8 17 11
			to
			9 11 3
Dock, River and Harbour Works:		Females:	
Pile Driving:		Wardmaids, Kitchenmaids, etc.	5 11 0
Man in Charge	10 1 5	Cook—First	6 8 11
Others	9 4 11	Cook—Other	6 2 11
	to		
	9 8 5		
Drilling and Blasting Plant:		Hospital Employees (Private Hospitals) (b):	
Leading Hand	10 12 11	Males:	
Others	9 4 11	Orderly	8 17 11
	to	Kitchenman, Yardman, Handyman	8 17 11
	9 17 11	Laundryman	9 2 11
	9 4 11	Cook	9 12 11
Quarry Worker	to		
	10 1 5	Females:	
Miscellaneous:		Cook	5 17 9
Ganger	10 1 5	Kitchenmaid,	5 5 3
	to		5 7 9
	10 12 11	Unregistered Nurses	to
	9 4 11		5 12 9
Survey Hands	to	Registered Nurses (see Nurses' Award, page 40).	
	9 7 11		
Men employed hand-ramming hot bituminous macadam	9 19 11	Laundry Employees:	
		Male	9 6 11
Concrete Pile-driving Plant:		Female	5 16 9
Man in Charge	10 12 11		
Topman	9 17 11		
Machine Man	9 12 11		
Dredge Employees:		Mining (Coal):	Per shift.
Ladderman	10 12 11	Miners	2 1 5½
Quartermaster, Deckhands	9 12 11	Loaderman (Mechanical Units)	2 6 6½
Winchman (Leading)	10 2 11	Faceman, Shiftman (Mechanical Units)	2 3 4½
Winchman (Other)	9 17 11	Pumpman	(d) 2 0 0
Greaser	10 12 11	Shiftman	2 1 5½
Fireman	10 2 11	Wheeler	1 19 4½
		Tipplers	1 18 4½
		Gantry and Screenman	1 18 4½
		Surface Worker (Labourer)	1 17 3½
		Unclassified Worker (Underground)	1 18 10½
Engine driving:			
Government (excluding Railways):		Mining (Gold): (c)	
Loco. Driver (Harbour Works)	10 12 11	General:	
	10 5 5	Rock-drill men	2 8 1
Pile Driver	10 16 11		to
	to		2 10 1
	10 5 5	Hand Miners	2 6 7
			to
			2 8 7
		Shaft-timber Men	2 10 1

(a) If Board and Lodging provided £1 16s. 2d. per week to be deducted.

(b) If Board provided £1 4s 2d. to be deducted. If Lodging provided 12s. 1d. to be deducted.

(c) Rates include Industry Allowance of £2 per week.

(d) Eight hour shift including one hour overtime.

No. 49.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Industries and Occupations as at 31st March, 1951—continued.

Industry and Occupation.	Wages.	Industry and Occupation.	Wages.
MISCELLANEOUS—continued.	£ s. d.	MISCELLANEOUS—continued	£ s. d.
Mining (Gold)—continued.	Per shift.	Photographic Employees :	Per week.
Mullockers, Truckers, Shovellers	2 4 10	Male (Adult)	9 0 11
General Labourers (Surface)	2 4 1	to	9 5 5
Others	2 4 10	Female (Adult)	5 6 9
	to	to	5 11 3
	2 8 1		
Engineering :	Per week.	Quarrymen :	
Driller, Screwer, Motor Attendant	12 2 5	Spallars	9 10 11
Electrical Wireman, Lineman	12 15 11	Jumpermen	9 6 11
Pipe Fitter	12 6 11	Crusher-feeders	9 14 11
Coppersmith, Blacksmith	13 7 11	Machine Man	9 10 11
Fitter, Turner	13 6 5	Powder Monkeys	9 19 11
Pattern-maker	14 0 5		
Oxy-acetylene and Electric Welder	13 10 11	Radio Workers :	
Engine-driving, etc.:	Per shift.	General Serviceman	10 18 11
Winding Engine-driver (Special Shaft)	2 17 11	Workshop Serviceman	10 18 11
Winding Engine-driver (Other)	2 10 3	Bench Assembler	9 8 11
	to		
	2 13 5	Railways (Government):	Per day.
	2 8 7	Engine drivers	2 4 0
Winch-driver	to	to	2 10 9
	2 9 5	Firemen	1 18 9
Loco. Engine-driver	2 10 3	to	2 2 7
	2 7 10	to	1 16 9
	to	Cleaner	1 17 4
Stationary Steam Engine-drivers	2 9 8	to	2 1 0
	2 7 8	Guard	to
Fireman, Leading	2 5 11	to	2 4 0
Fireman, Steam and Producer	2 5 10	Porter	1 14 7
Greasers, Cleaners	2 4 11	to	1 18 7
Trimmers	2 8 1	to	1 19 9
Boller Cleaners	Per week.	Shunter	to
Motor Service Station Attendants :	8 17 11	to	2 2 9
Metropolitan	8 17 11	Signalman	1 17 4
South-West Land Division	9 5 5	to	2 4 11
Kalgoorlie (b)		Motor Car and Lorry Drivers	1 19 9
Municipal Employees (Perth):			
Sanitary Employees :		Shop Assistants:	
Rubbish Tipmen	9 4 11	Hardware, Furniture and Carpet Depart-	
Dust and Rubbish Carters	9 15 11	ments or Shops :	Per week.
Sanitary Pan Removers	10 2 11	Male	9 17 11
Stage-hands, Trenchman, Washers	10 0 11	Female	6 1 10
Attendants (Latrines)	9 0 11	Grocery Departments or Shops :	
Motor Lorry Driver	11 5 5	Male	9 17 11
	9 8 5	Female	6 12 4
Horse-drivers	to		
	9 17 11	Manchester, Dress and Silk Departments	
Stablemen	9 4 11	or Shops :	
	9 15 11	Male	9 17 11
Motor Lorry-drivers	to	Female	6 5 6
	10 7 11	All other Departments and Shops :	
	8 15 5	Male	9 17 11
Sweepers	9 4 11	Female	5 16 7
	9 1 11	Storemen, Despatch Hands and Packers	
Drainage Worker	9 12 11	Canvasser	10 2 7
Nurses (Registered):			
Government and Public Hospitals through-		Tramways :	
out State: (a)		Trolley Bus Drivers	10 2 11
Sisters :	7 19 1	Petrol Bus Driver	10 7 5
"B" Class	to	to	9 4 11
	8 9 1	Conductors	9 19 11
	8 16 1	to	9 19 11
"A" Class	to	Drivers and Pitmen	10 17 5
	9 6 1	Car Builders	10 8 5
	9 19 1	Linesmen	9 12 5
Matrons, Assistant	to	Assistant Linesmen	9 7 11
	10 9 1	Track Repairer	
	10 14 1		
Matrons, Sub	to		
	11 14 1		
	12 14 1		
Matrons (over 65 beds, daily aver-	14 14 1		
age)			
Nurses (Registered):			
Private Hospitals—			
Sisters :			
"B" Class	7 12 9		
"A" Class	8 9 9		
(Subject to deduction for Board £1/4/1			
and Lodging 12/1.)			

(a) Rates are for Metropolitan Area and include deductions for Board and Lodging (living-in rate).—Nurses, Sisters, and Assistant Matrons £1 18s. 6d. per week; Matrons £1 18s. 6d. to £3 7s. 7d. per week. If employees are required to live out, Board and Lodging figure of 52 per cent. of the prevailing Basic Wage is added to the net figure for living-in rate. Outside that area the difference in Basic Wage is to be added. There are also district allowances for certain localities.

(b) Within 26-mile radius of the Kalgoorlie Town Hall.

No. 49.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Industries and Occupations as at 31st March, 1951—continued.

Industry and Occupation.	Wages.	Industry and Occupation.	Wages.
MISCELLANEOUS—continued.		MISCELLANEOUS—continued.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
	Per day.		Per week.
Ganger	1 19 9	Wine and Spirit Warehouse Employees :	
Chainman	to	Cellarman (Head)	10 8 11
	2 3 7	Storeman	9 18 11
	1 18 7	Others	9 15 11
		Wool Stores :	
		Head Classer and/or Man in Charge of	
		Store	11 7 11
		Assistant Classer	10 14 11
		Assistant Storeman	10 10 11
		Wool Sorter	10 6 11
		Others	9 17 11
Waterside Workers (Federal Award):	Per hour.		
Lumper (General Cargo)	0 6 3		
Bulk Wheat—Machine Trimmer	0 7 9		
Bagged Wheat	0 6 9		

No. 50.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable to Apprentices, under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements, in certain trades as at 31st March, 1951.

Trade.	Weekly Wages.*	Trade.	Weekly Wages.*
	£ s. d. £ s. d.		£ s. d. £ s. d.
Baking	1 16 3 to 8 11 6	Painting (including Paper-	
Boilermaking	1 15 4 „ 8 7 3	hanging, Glazing, Decor-	
Boot-making	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3	ating and Signwriting)	1 14 7 to 8 4 3
Butchering	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3	Pastrycooking	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3
Carpentering	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3	Picture-framing	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3 (c)
Coach-building	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3	Plumbing	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3
Engineering (Metal Trades)....	1 15 4 „ 8 7 3	Printing Trade—	
Furniture-making, etc.—		Job Printing (Federal	
Machining Branch, Glass		Award)	2 10 6 „ 8 8 0 (b)
Bevelling, Silvering, Mat-		Job Printing (State Award)	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3
tress-making, Wire-weav-		Newspaper Printing (Lino-	
ing, and all other Branches		type and Monoline, etc.)	3 18 3 „ 10 14 4
Hairdressing (Men's)	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3 (d)	Saddlery—	
Hairdressing (Ladies')—	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3 (a)	Males	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3
Males	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3	Females	1 16 2 „ 4 13 10
Females	1 12 3 „ 6 6 10	Saw Mill Engineering	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3
Jewellery	2 3 3 „ 8 12 11 (b)	Sheet-metal Working	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3
Moulding	1 15 4 „ 8 7 3	Tailoring (Order)—	
Optical Works	1 14 7 „ 8 12 11 (b)	Males	2 1 6 „ 8 4 6
		Females	2 11 6 „ 5 16 6
		Timber Machining (Metro-	
		politan)	1 14 7 „ 8 4 3
		Watchmaking	2 3 3 „ 8 12 11 (i)

* Range for five years' apprenticeship, unless otherwise shown. (a) Four years. (b) Six years. (c) Three years. (d) Three to five years.

No. 51.—Abstract of Meteorological Observations.

A.—OBSERVATIONS AT PERTH (LATITUDE, 31° 57' S. ALTITUDE ABOVE MEAN SEA-LEVEL, 210 FEET.
LONGITUDE, 115° 51' E).

1951.	Barometric Pressure (Inches).†			Shade Temperature (°Fahr.).								Evaporation.		Rainfall.			
	Mean, 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.	Highest.	Lowest.	Mean Maximum.	Mean Minimum.	Maximum on any one day.	Minimum on any one day.	Highest previous record since 1897.		Lowest previous record since 1897.		Inches.	Aver., 52 yrs., Inches.	Total.		Average for 75 years.	
								Max.	Year.	Min.	Year.			Inches.	Days.	Inches.	Days.
Jan.	29.87	30.16	29.62	80	62	93	52	110	1934	49	1925	9.60	10.28	0.25	3	0.32	3
Feb.	29.84	30.13	29.48	84	65	105	52	112	1933	48	1902	7.03	8.64	0.97	4	0.36	5
Mar.	29.98	30.20	29.72	83	62	97	51	106	1922	46	1903	6.85	7.50	0.08	2	0.83	5
Mean *	29.99	76	56
Ext'me	30.47*	29.41*	107*	36*	112	1933	34	{1914 1916}
Total	67.04*	65.72	32.27*	117*	34.96	122 \$

* Figures for 1950.

† In addition to other corrections further corrections for standard gravity have been applied.
§ To end of 1950.

B.—MEAN ANNUAL RAINFALL IN METEOROLOGICAL LAND DIVISIONS IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA DURING 1949, WITH
AVERAGES TO END OF 1942.

Land Divisions.	Rainfall during 1950.		Average, previous years.†		Period of Observations of Normal.	
	Range.	Mean.	Range.	Average.	Range.	Average.
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Years.	Years
North Kimberley	35.00 to 50.24	41.16	26.64 to 36.64	31.18	18 to 56	33
East Kimberley	18.52 " 38.24	25.69	15.32 " 29.13	21.89	26 " 52	41
West Kimberley	9.94 " 34.48	24.38	14.96 " 28.39	21.40	19 " 57	38
De Grey	5.68 " 10.36	7.97	11.15 " 14.60	12.59	27 " 56	45
Fortescue	3.70 " 9.16	6.12	8.86 " 14.57	10.86	27 " 57	43
West Gascoyne	3.65 " 8.48	4.95	7.86 " 12.27	9.06	35 " 60	47
East Gascoyne	2.24 " 9.26	5.03	7.88 " 11.54	9.09	31 " 54	42
South-West—						
North Coastal	8.66 " 21.21	12.32	10.46 " 19.86	15.72	25 " 64	40
Central Coastal	13.04 " 43.51	28.29	21.36 " 54.91	34.09	28 " 67	50
South Coastal	25.94 " 61.81	37.10	20.68 " 60.60	33.66	26 " 67	45
Central North	6.25 " 17.15	9.48	9.28 " 21.49	13.45	29 " 63	38
Central South	6.83 " 26.50	13.54	12.32 " 29.52	17.42	25 " 66	41
North-East	3.08 " 5.00	4.00	8.40 " 9.81	9.33	28 " 44	33
South-East	2.96 " 9.14	4.38	8.42 " 10.78	9.45	38 " 53	44
Eucla	3.31 " 7.39	5.26	6.51 " 10.63	8.81	25 " 64	39

† To end of 1942.

XV.—PARLIAMENTARY ROLLS.

No. 52.—Legislative Assembly, General Elections, 25th March, 1950.

Electoral Districts.	Net Enrolment at 25th March, 1950.			Electoral Districts.	Net Enrolment at 25th March 1950.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.
Albany	2,562	2,590	5,152	Narrogin*	2,343	2,114	4,457
Avon Valley	2,174	1,939	4,113	Nedlands	4,565	5,092	9,658
Blackwood	2,550	2,233	4,783	Northam	2,710	2,509	5,219
Boulder*	2,387	2,123	4,510	Perth, East	4,725	5,157	9,882
Bunbury	2,308	2,454	4,762	Perth, North	4,115	4,706	8,821
Canning	4,498	4,630	9,128	Perth, South	3,981	4,514	8,495
Claremont*	4,124	4,954	9,078	Perth, West	4,475	5,077	9,552
Collie*	2,265	2,030	4,295	Pilbara	874	365	1,239
Cottesloe	3,877	4,723	8,600	Roe	3,062	2,291	5,353
Dale	2,755	2,741	5,496	Stirling*	2,498	2,093	4,591
Darling Range	2,571	2,696	5,267	Subiaco	3,939	5,078	9,107
Eyre	2,069	1,574	3,643	Toodyay	2,804	2,327	5,131
Fremantle	4,532	4,598	9,130	Vasse	2,661	2,353	5,014
Fremantle, South*	4,312	4,351	8,663	Victoria Park	4,212	4,511	8,723
Gascoyne	954	528	1,482	Warren*	2,486	1,947	4,433
Geraldton	2,672	2,376	5,048	Wembley Beaches	3,959	4,581	8,540
Greenough*	2,390	1,810	4,200				
Guildford-Midland	4,548	4,694	9,242	Total	155,804	154,487	310,291
Hannans	2,311	2,233	4,544				
Harvey	2,106	2,475	4,581				
Kalgoorlie	2,436	1,985	4,421				
Katanning	2,328	2,136	4,464				
Kimberley*	737	341	1,078				
Leederville	4,622	3,929	8,551				
Maylands	4,196	4,921	9,117	<i>Electors in Contested Districts</i>	124,663	127,218	251,881
Melville	4,618	4,843	9,461				
Merredin-Yilgarn	2,214	1,616	3,830				
Middle Swan	4,612	4,784	9,396	<i>Electors in Uncontested Districts</i>	31,141	27,269	58,410
Moore*	2,871	2,217	5,088				
Mount Hawthorn	4,705	4,957	9,662	<i>Votes Recorded (including 4,532 Informal Votes)</i>	113,439	115,857	229,296
Mount Lawley	3,755	4,720	8,475				
Mount Marshall*	2,380	1,922	4,302				
Murchison*	2,348	1,367	3,715				
Murray	2,608	2,281	4,889				

* Uncontested Districts.

No. 53.—Legislative Council, General Elections, 6th May, 1950.

Province.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Province.	Males.	Females.	Total.
<i>Number on Roll.</i>				<i>Number on Roll.</i>			
Central*	5,293	1,659	6,952	South-West	6,744	2,115	8,859
Metropolitan*	10,655	6,433	17,088	West	7,518	3,434	10,952
Suburban	11,318	5,870	17,188				
Midland	4,128	976	5,104	Total	60,156	25,013	85,169
North	1,038	194	1,232				
North-East	4,137	1,680	5,817	<i>Electors in Contested Provinces</i>	44,208	16,921	61,129
South	5,657	1,503	7,160				
South-East	3,668	1,149	4,817	<i>Votes Recorded (including 288 Informal Votes)</i>	22,237	7,458	29,695

* Uncontested Provinces.

XVI.—MISCELLANEOUS.

No. 54.—Building Operations—New Buildings Completed.

Note.—The figures hereunder cover the operations of all builders who accept contracts for the construction of new buildings and the day labour building operations of the principal Governmental construction agencies. The operations of "Owner-Builders" are also included. The value of land on which the buildings were erected is not included in the values shown in the following tables :—

A.—HOUSES COMPLETED—CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO MATERIALS OF OUTER WALL.

Period.	Brick, Stone, Cement.		Wood (a).		Fibro-Cement (a).		Other (a).		Total.	
	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.
1946—Contract	572	£,000 634	174	£,000 133	339	£,000 278	224	£,000 171	1,309	£,000 1,216
Owner-Built	6	6	12	7	34	18	3	1	55	32
Total	578	640	186	140	373	296	227	172	1,364	1,248
1947—Contract	1,088	1,340	237	188	850	788	59	45	2,234	2,361
Owner-Built	26	25	20	8	116	74	3	2	165	109
Total	1,114	1,365	257	196	966	862	62	47	2,399	2,470
1948—Contract	1,163	1,628	271	226	1,079	1,117	16	17	2,529	2,988
Owner-Built	89	87	55	24	357	230	13	5	514	346
Total	1,252	1,715	326	250	1,436	1,347	29	22	3,043	3,334
1949—Contract	1,247	1,979	154	147	1,040	1,267	24	32	2,465	3,425
Owner-Built	202	256	74	44	531	382	18	11	825	693
Total	1,449	2,235	228	191	1,571	1,649	42	43	3,290	4,118
1950—Contract	1,350	2,392	227	223	1,443	1,799	30	34	3,050	4,448
Owner-Built	359	490	110	88	819	773	25	14	1,313	1,365
Total	1,709	2,882	337	311	2,262	2,572	55	48	4,363	5,813
1951—										
March Quarter—										
Contract	319	650	50	46	345	491	18	20	732	1,207
Owner-Built	128	227	43	42	268	312	3	2	442	583

(a) As from the December Quarter, 1946, timber-framed houses have been classified according to *predominant* material of outer walls. Previously, houses with outer walls partly of wood and partly of fibro-cement had been classified as "Other."

B.—OTHER NEW BUILDINGS COMPLETED.

Period.	Dwellings Other than Houses (b).		Shops without Dwellings attached.		Factories.		Other Buildings.		Total.	
	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.
1946	7	£,000 6	9	£,000 5	52	£,000 82	136	£,000 186	204	£,000 279
1947	11	19	17	12	37	64	147	315	212	410
1948	15	52	21	41	49	160	247	391	352	644
1949	20	51	24	29	57	215	293	628	394	923
1950	281	279	35	56	41	263	393	595	750	1,193
1951—										
March Quarter	48	48	3	16	8	26	79	173	138	263

(b) Including Shops with dwellings attached.

No. 55.—Building Permits Issued by Local Governing Authorities in the Metropolitan Area.

(Excludes Commonwealth, State and Local Government Buildings as permits are not issued for such.)

Period.	New Dwellings and Hotels. (See Footnote).		New Stores, Factories, Warehouses, and other Buildings.		Additions and Alterations.		Total Permits Issued.	
	No.	Value £.	No.	Value £.	No.	Value £.	No.	Value £.
1940-41	1,458	1,209,339	34	60,982	1,312	207,445	2,804	1,477,766
1941-42	781	645,950	23	91,038	737	78,661	1,541	815,649
1942-43	33	14,436	21	105,017	487	50,819	541	170,272
1943-44	121	58,323	20	39,998	967	140,880	1,108	238,701
1944-45	530	362,811	20	45,079	1,430	196,019	1,980	603,909
1945-46	1,386	1,249,306	111	70,853	2,632	315,718	4,129	1,635,877
1946-47	1,828	2,019,417	92	132,799	2,888	338,368	4,808	2,490,584
1947-48	2,104	2,584,501	94	191,704	3,524	460,441	5,722	3,236,646
1948-49	2,700	3,686,753	101	325,781	3,736	426,956	6,537	4,439,490
1949-50	3,554	5,512,598	115	272,038	3,561	477,004	7,230	6,261,640
1950-51—								
Sept. Quarter	1,413	2,469,495	38	93,107	1,108	237,076	2,559	2,799,678
Dec. Quarter	1,206	2,116,385	47	246,981	1,034	184,668	2,287	2,548,034
Mar. Quarter	1,289	2,521,941	30	92,155	1,092	195,118	2,411	2,809,214

Note.—In order to show some comparability with the figures of pre-war years, new dwellings for the year 1945-46 and subsequent periods include certain dwellings being erected under the Commonwealth-State Housing Scheme for which no permit is granted by the Local Government Authority.

No. 56.—Census of 30th June, 1947.

Summary of Population and Dwellings in Local Government Areas, Western Australia.

Local Government Areas.	Population.			Dwellings.*		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Occupied.	Un-occupied.†	Total.
Urban—						
Metropolitan :	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Municipalities	81,544	88,494	170,038	41,637	230	41,867
Road Districts	50,126	52,364	102,490	25,306	219	25,525
Total Metropolitan	131,670	140,858	272,528	66,943	449	67,392
Provincial :						
Municipalities	26,279	25,521	51,800	12,469	222	12,691
Rural—						
Road Districts	97,475	77,696	175,171	45,648	1,935	47,583
Migratory	2,652	329	2,981
Total Census, 30th June, 1947	258,076	244,404	502,480	125,060	2,606	127,666
Total Census, 30th June, 1933	233,937	204,915	438,852	103,578	4,289	107,867

* For the purpose of the Census a "dwelling" is defined as a collection of rooms occupied by a household group living together as a family unit whether comprising the whole or only part of a home or other building.

† Includes "week-end" and holiday dwellings and other dwellings temporarily unoccupied on the night of the Census.

No. 57.—Generation of Electricity—Metropolitan Power Stations.

Year ended 30th June.	Units Generated.	Units Sent out.	Month.	1950-51.	
				Units Generated.	Units Sent out
	k.w.h.	k.w.h.		k.w.h.	k.w.h.
1940	141,095,650	126,669,770	July	21,950,400	20,115,900
1941	146,538,140	133,010,900	August	21,822,600	20,042,500
1942	152,210,960	138,607,450	September	20,836,900	19,052,900
1943	158,717,010	144,972,700	October	22,237,600	20,332,600
1944	174,538,620	159,687,500	November	22,805,200	20,943,700
1945	186,377,360	170,699,600	December	22,613,200	20,730,000
1946	186,640,970	170,829,450	January	22,527,600	20,628,720
1947	201,025,250	184,237,550	February	22,863,200	20,998,500
1948	223,961,210	205,491,500	March	24,251,500	22,249,500
1949	220,625,530	206,947,100	April
1950	235,068,100	214,897,500	May
			June

No. 58.—Motor Vehicle Registrations.

A.—NEW VEHICLES.

(Excluding Commonwealth-owned Vehicles.)

Period.	Metropolitan Area.				Entire State.			
	Cars (including Hire Cars).	Wagons, Vans, Utilities.	Buses.	Motor Cycles.	Cars (including Hire Cars.)	Wagons, Vans, Utilities.	Buses.	Motor Cycles.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1945	32	218	8	107	39	475	9	174
1946	536	328	11	422	637	718	16	513
1947	1,224	519	40	593	2,066	1,685	54	883
1948	2,083	726	63	824	4,036	2,483	114	1,376
1949	3,250	1,141	79	1,160	6,592	3,722	156	2,120
1950	4,664	1,901	86	1,214	9,325	5,660	150	2,390
Months—1951—								
January	264	137	3	123	507	458	5	208
February	348	177	2	137	654	526	5	224
March	354	199	2	208	666	604	4	338

B.—MOTOR VEHICLES IN USE (Effective Registrations).

(Excluding Commonwealth-owned Vehicles—see footnote.)

Date. (As at end of Month.)	Metropolitan Area.				Entire State.			
	Cars (including Hire Cars).	Wagons, Vans, Utilities.	Buses.	Motor Cycles.	Cars (including Hire Cars.)	Wagons, Vans, Utilities.	Buses.	Motor Cycles.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1945—June	18,478	6,603	244	2,783	30,635	23,649	294	4,501
1946—June	19,214	7,989	204	4,295	31,316	23,147	309	6,794
1947—June	20,522	9,467	255	5,290	32,793	31,382	331	8,196
1948—June	21,968	10,132	275	5,445	35,485	34,362	457	8,874
1949—June	24,259	11,330	364	6,729	39,989	37,680	648	10,972
1950—June	28,529	12,530	443	7,707	48,485	41,688	826	12,890
Months—1951—								
January	31,463	13,645	497	8,341	51,830	41,257	898	12,853
February	31,656	13,783	498	8,437	52,904	42,942	917	13,256
March	31,900	13,932	496	8,550	53,460	43,496	917	13,500

Note.—Commonwealth-owned vehicles (exclusive of all defence vehicles) registered at 31st March, 1951, comprise—Cars, 123, Wagons, Vans, Utilities, 787; Buses 8, Motor Cycles, 14.

No. 59.—Employment.

A.—FACTORIES.

Index numbers showing the trend in Factory Employment since 1941.

(Base : Mean Employment in 1923-29, viz., 19,799, = 100.)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Mean.
1941	109	111	112	111	112	113	113	113	114	115	116	118	113
1942	116	118	118	118	119	118	117	119	120	122	123	124	119
1943	128	130	132	134	134	135	136	136	137	138	136	137	134
1944	137	138	139	139	140	139	140	140	140	140	141	142	140
1945	142	142	144	144	144	145	146	145	143	140	140	144	143
1946	144	148	150	153	154	154	157	159	160	161	158	163	155
1947	162	164	166	167	168	167	167	167	168	168	169	170	167
1948	171	172	176	176	177	177	177	179	180	180	182	182	177
1949	179	182	186	187	187	187	182	189	190	191	192	194	187
1950	194	197	200	200	203	202	†202	†202	†203	†204	†205	†204	†201
1951	†206	†209	†200										

† Preliminary figures based primarily on Pay Roll Tax Returns.

B.—RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS.

Index numbers prepared by the Commonwealth Statistician.

Employees on the last pay-roll of each month shown on returns of taxable employers whose principal activity was retail trade.

(Base : July, 1941 = 1000.)

Number of Employees—July, 1941 :—Males, 4,746 ; Females, 4,832 : Persons, 9,578.

Month.	1949.			1950.			1951.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
January	1,507	1,217	1,354	1,552	1,284	1,410	1,613	1,379	1,490
February	1,512	1,222	1,358	1,554	1,238	1,387	1,609	1,394	1,495
March	1,534	1,226	1,371	1,560	1,287	1,415	1,630	1,410	1,513
April	1,539	1,233	1,377	1,550	1,295	1,415			
May	1,503	1,221	1,354	1,554	1,297	1,418			
June	1,500	1,239	1,362	1,558	1,314	1,429			
July	1,522	1,256	1,381	1,558	1,303	1,423			
August	1,529	1,242	1,377	1,546	1,306	1,419			
September	1,513	1,234	1,365	1,556	1,315	1,428			
October	1,524	1,243	1,375	1,550	1,325	1,431			
November	1,538	1,281	1,402	1,562	1,351	1,450			
December	1,610	1,346	1,470	1,636	1,437	1,531			
Annual Mean	1,528	1,247	1,379	1,561	1,313	1,430			

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